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SUMMARY.

Latest tidings received in Petrograd from the southern front indicate that there is a temporary lull

The total captures by the Russians now number 1700 officers and 114,000 men.

The Russians crossed the Dniester, and captured many fortified points.

A German communique says:—Our batteries annihilated a Russian cavalry brigade southwest of Dubina, on the Dwina.

The prisoners taken by the Russians consist to pour into Kief. They are chiefly Austrians, Germans, and Magyars.

The Germans are not venturing to transfer reinforcements to the Galician front. They are trying to create a diversion in the north.

General Brussiloff's capture of Denidovka gives the Russians in command of an important region, forming a natural stronghold.

The position will enable General Brussiloff to checkmate the Austrian effort to counter the Russian offensive northward.

A Salonica message states that the Allies have again bombarded Dede Agach and Porto Lagos, 28 miles north-west of Dede Agach.

The German Crown Prince is once more leading his troops against the French at Verdun, regardless of loss of life.

The enemy penetrated some advanced elements and trenches east of Hill 321, west of Beaumont Farm.

The Germans are reported to have concentrated 120,000 troops around Zonnebeke, Houthoek, and further south

They have thus reduced the garrisons in Belgium, and to a smaller extent along the Belgian front

The British heavy guns are constantly bombarding the enemy's positions at Hooge.

The Australians at Bois Grenier, near Armentieres, made a night raid on a trench and captured at least 12 Germans.

They also captured six prisoners, and destroyed two trench mortars. Two Australians were slightly wounded.

The Canadians on Tuesday morning made a bold and successful assaults south-east of Ypres.

The objective was their old positions, all of which they recaptured on a front of 1500 yards.

A German message says: The enemy is making local attacks on our new positions on the heights south-east of Ypres.

Germany is forcing Belgians who have been interned in Germany for three years to join the German army.

The Belgian Government has protested to the Allies and neutral countries that this is a breach of the Hague Convention.

The situation on the Italian front has greatly improved during the past fortnight. The enemy is now held all along the line.

The brilliant assaults the Italians captured strongly-fortified line from the Parmesan district to the Lagarina valley.

Greece is reported to be disbanding large numbers of reservists, in addition to the active forces. Demobilisation is practically complete.

Amsterdam newspapers state that a British soldier sank a German submarine in the recent action off Zeebrugge.

The city delegates, representing the Allied Powers, met in secret at the Quai d'Orsay, in Paris, with M. Briand as president.

There was an enormous gathering at the memorial service for the late Lord Kitchener at St. Paul's Cathedral, London.

Japanese and Japanese troops from the Pacific will be inspected by the Governor and the State Commandant in the Domain yesterday.

Fifty men of the non-commissioned officers' class in course of instruction at the Agricultural Grounds, took part in the parade.

The War Chest committee is being rushed with orders for gold-mounted buttons. The Shore line has sent for 250.

Orders have been issued that all officers and men of the Royal Navy are to wear uniform when on shore.

The Metropolitan Land Board took further actions yesterday on the proposal to close up end of Cathedral-street.

The traffic superintendent considered the cost unnecessary for vehicles, but thinks footpath should be retained for pedestrians.

A movement in favour of equal pay or equal women for equal work in the public service is developing.

The Premier has invited the opinion of the Attorney-General upon the High Court's refusal to grant the appeal leave.

If necessary, we will take steps to fill the gaps in the law," remarked Mr. Holman yesterday.

The position of Labour candidates who are pledged to favour conscription in some form will be considered by the P.L.L. executive.

Nothing definite was decided upon, but a further meeting of the executive is to be convened to deal with the matter again.

Police-Inspector M. B. Burns, who took part in the suppression of a bushranging outbreak at Gulgong in 1865, has died at Lidcombe.

The application for the cancellation of the Railway Workers and General Labourers' Association was granted yesterday.

Two additional referendum returns which were in hand yesterday made but little alteration in the totals.

There are still a few returns to come, and as a result of the absent votes will not be known for some days.

The 176th casualty list of Australians contains two officers and 40 men killed in action.

Seventeen officers and 477 men are ill. Sixteen officers and 283 men have returned to duty.

The matter of the minimum living wage of £2/4 fixed by the Industrial Court in December was mentioned by Mr. Justice Heydon yesterday.

The employers are to be heard on June 20 in reply to the request of the association of shop secretaries for an increase.

There were rough seas along the coast yesterday, and coastal shipping was delayed.

Most of the river bars from Port Macquarie southwards were unpassable.

The profit-sharing proposal adopted by the Associated Chambers of Commerce came before the council of the Sydney chamber.

The matter is to be individually considered by councillors, and at a later date it will be further discussed by the council.

The Archbishop of Sydney presided at the annual prize-giving at the King's School, Parramatta, yesterday.

The report of the headmaster, the Rev. P. Waddy, who is resigning, was of a highly character.

The Treasurer is appealing to small investors to take up stocks or bonds in the last issue of the war loan.

The price of milk is to be raised to 6d per quart within the county of Cumberland.

The rainfall was almost unobtainable in wholesale parcels yesterday. Supplies from the Hunter and Coast are not expected before Friday.

The commission's advance of only 4s 8d per bales not meet with the approval of the growers, which hold supplies in store.

Mr. Hall is sanguine of being able to induce the holders to withdraw 1000 bales to meet the present shortage.

Prices of the wool sales yesterday the market was firm at the best rates of the week for good wools.

Final records for the season were established—21d for greasy merino and 41½d for scoured merino.

The Sydney Stock Exchange was active yesterday, and a large volume of business was transacted at solid rates.

The Mining market was inactive, though prices remained firm.

Rain was scarce, and no relief is to be expected for from the adjoining States. There is no change in eggs.

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AUCTION SALES.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR,
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THIS DAY,
COMMENCING AT 10.30 SHARP.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, as under:—
AT 10.30 A.M.
HEAVY AND LIGHT HORSES, TURNOUTS, VEHICLES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.
MILCH COWS.

THIS DAY, THURSDAY, AT 11 A.M.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will hold their USUAL WEEKLY SALE of MILCH COWS, at their Yards, Quay-street, as above. The following will be the order of sale, viz., Messrs. Buffier, Auschau, and McIntosh Bros.

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WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Camperdown, TO-MORROW, Friday, at 11.30 a.m.,
2 DRAGS (6 and 4 horse), SOCIABLE, 4 Hooded and Plain SULKIES, and 1 SQUARE VAN.
NO RESERVE.
TO TROTTING MEN AND OTHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. J. A. BUCKLAND, Pine Ridge, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Camperdown, city, TO-MORROW, Friday, at 12 o'clock,
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TO-MORROW (FRIDAY) AFTERNOON,
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86. FIRST-CLASS HORSES. 86.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above,
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At 12.30 p.m.: Eggs, Fruit, Sundries, etc.
At 1.30 p.m.: Poultry of all descriptions, Suckers, etc.

MOSSMAN and ELLIS will sell by auction, at their Stores, 97 and 99 George-street South, THIS DAY, Eggs, Butter, Honey, etc., and a large quantity of Poultry of every description. Pigeons, Birds, Game, Poultry, EGGS, BUTTER, HONEY, etc., at 1.30 p.m. etc. EGGS, BUTTER, HONEY, etc., at 1.30 p.m. sharp; POULTRY, BIRDS, GAME, etc., 2.15 p.m. sharp.

C. J. TURNER and SONS will sell at their Rooms, Quay and Ultimo streets, Haymarket, THIS DAY, as under:—1.15, Ducklings, Chicks, Birds, etc.
1.30, Eggs, then Poultry.

PRODUCE SALES will be held TO-DAY as under:—
TALLOW, at 10.30 a.m.
THIS DAY, AT 11 A.M.,
on the Premises,
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THIS DAY.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 292 Pitt-street, the Unredeemed CLOTHING and BOOTS pledged with Mr. H. E. Phipps, of the Mont de Piete Loan Office, 414 Oxford-street, Paddington.
At 11 o'clock, Clothing, Boots, Blankets, etc.
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THIS DAY, AT 2 O'CLOCK.

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AUCTION SALES.

PARK-ROAD, MOORE PARK.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.
THIS DAY, THURSDAY, JUNE 15,
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UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM
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CHAPTER V.
THE WEDDING DAY.

Fenlove and his best man—Lord Impey—stood waiting at the foot of the chancel steps. The church was half full of people. Outside was a considerably larger crowd, who waited to see the bride when she drove up with her father.

One o'clock struck, and the organist glanced a little impatiently at the mirror above the keyboard, which was so arranged that he could see the bride and her father directly they entered the church.

Every now and then the people who sat sedately in their pews turned their heads and looked eagerly towards the door. The silence was tense; no one even whispered.

Fenlove tried his best to look unconcerned, but failed signally. Lord Impey looked ill at ease. He was not at all happy in the position he occupied. He had hesitated a long time before consenting to be best man, and were it not that he was distantly related to Fenlove he would have declined the honour. He did not want it to go forth that he was a particular friend of the bridegroom, for as a matter of fact he was not. He and Fenlove had little or nothing in common. He did not approve of his kinsman's mode of life. From his point of view Fenlove was a slacker and worse—a man who wasted his time and his talents and his money in unworthy and inglorious pursuits.

Being a relative, however, he could not very well say no. Fenlove had been very eager and pressing. He had wanted Impey's moral and social backing. Impey's presence would give tone and weight to the occasion. It would impress the public as nothing else would do. It would look well in the newspapers.

Impey was a man of considerable importance. He had already made his mark in politics, was keenly interested in social reform, and was already spoken of as a future Cabinet Minister. Fenlove felt considerably elated when at length Lord Impey gave his consent—nothing more was needed to complete his triumph.

Impey was actuated by two main considerations. In the first place, he might be helping Fenlove to turn over a new leaf. He appeared to be tremendously in love with the lady he was about to marry, and if she was all he represented her to be, she might prove a sobering and an inspiring influence. Marriage might liberate him from some of the shackles with which he had bound himself, and set him free to live a more useful and worthy kind of life.

The second consideration was a little less altruistic. By acting as best man he might have the opportunity of becoming better acquainted with Winifred Willoughby, who was to be one of the bridesmaids.

He had met her half-a-dozen or more occasions—not at any society function, for she did not go much into society—but at gatherings of social workers—and he had been tremendously impressed by her. Not only was she one of the most beautiful women he had ever seen, but her spirit was so fine, her outlook so clear, her judgment so sound, that he became almost impatient to know her better.

Fenlove's wedding would give him the desired opportunity. Hence when he stood waiting at the foot of the chancel steps his curiosity was not to see the bride. The only individual he was anxious to see was Winifred Willoughby.

The gritting of motor-wheels on the gravel outside at length broke the stillness. The organist edged himself an inch or two further forward, and his seat and prepared to strike the first chord of the Bridal March. Fenlove felt in his waistcoat pocket to make sure the ring was safe. The congregation rose simultaneously, and all eyes were turned towards the door. A low murmur of voices floated from the outside into the porch and slowly filtered into the church. There was more gritting of wheels on the gravel, more murmurs, which steadily grew in volume, then the sound of hurrying feet.

Fenlove grew a shade paler and looked anxiously towards the door. The moments passed slowly and painfully. The ticking of the vicar's clock in the pulpit could be distinctly heard.

Then the vestry door was pulled open, and a man entered, hat in hand. He walked straight to Fenlove and whispered something which was inaudible to everyone else.

"Good Lord. What?" Fenlove was heard to mutter. Then he bolted through the vestry door and was followed by Lord Impey.

The congregation, with consternation in their eyes, crowded into the aisles and made for the door. Something had happened, but as yet nobody knew what.

A little later the truth came out.

Adela had arrived with her father, and was assisted by him to alight. She was as usual quite calm and undisturbed, and while he went forward to whisper a word to the chauffeur, Adela looked round at the crowd and smiled. Then suddenly her face grew rigid, her eyes opened wider and wider, a look of terror swept over her face. She reached out her hands as if in appeal, then with a low, stifled cry she sank slowly into an unconscious heap upon the ground.

Half a hundred people rushed forward, a dozen hands helped to raise her into a sitting posture, her father was kneeling by her side before one could count ten.

The other carriages drove up and emptied themselves of their loads. A murmur of excited whispers filled the air. The same question was on every lip, "Is she dead?"

Then the crowd breathed freely again. It was only a fainting fit. The excitement had evidently been too much for her. She would most likely be all right again in a few minutes.

Water was fetched from the nearest house, which Winifred sprinkled over her face. Jane unfastened her dress at the throat. Then Dr. Hunter, who had been in the church, arrived on the scene. In a few minutes the unconscious girl was lifted back into the motor. She was breathing freely and regularly, but she showed no signs of returning consciousness.

Then Fenlove came bounding hatless through the crowd. "What? What?" he kept shouting excitedly; but no one appeared to notice him.

Hunter at length gave the word of command. "She must be taken back home at once," he said authoritatively.

"Taken back home!" Bardell snapped. "Nothing of the sort. She'll be all right in a few minutes. I've seen her faint before."

"She is your daughter, of course," Hunter said bitingly, and drew back from the car.

Meanwhile Winifred and Jane kept rubbing her hands, and sprinkling her face with cold water. The chauffeur had thrown back the hood of the car so that she could have plenty of fresh air. The crowd stood away at a respectful distance.

Then Bardell approached Dr. Hunter again. "Can't you do something to bring her round?" he said querously.

"Nothing more can be done here," was the reply. "She should be got to bed as quickly as possible."

"But the ceremony? Think of it, man," Bardell vociferated.

"The ceremony will have to wait."

"Wait? Think of what that means. Why, everything——" and he ended the sentence with a groan.

Fenlove for once was reduced to utter silence. One look at Adela's face convinced him that there would be no wedding that day. A malignant fate had cheated him in the very hour of his triumph. He felt, too chagrined for speech; besides, he had no words that were at all adequate to the occasion.

The first car containing the bride and the principal bridesmaids drove slowly away—there was nothing else to be done. The others followed a little later. Several of the invited guests returned to their own homes, but the others went on to Stoneburst, and partook of refreshments in the marquee, and drank Bardell's champagne and stood about in groups on the lawn, and waited for news of the bride.

It was a depressing occasion. No one had the courage or the heart to smile. No one knew the nature of Adela's sudden collapse, or whether it was likely to be attended with serious results. Whispers and surmises were blown about like leaves in autumn. Gossip plucked up its courage, and found ready utterance and eager listeners. The story of Hector Drysdale was revived. Among the women particularly there was a steady and unbroken flow of talk carried on chiefly in whispers. Those who knew the Bardells intimately spoke of the change that had come over Adela since the death of Drysdale, and hinted quite plainly their belief that she was a "little touched in the head."

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LAW REPORT.

BANCO COURT.

(Before the Chief Justice and jury of four.)

The resumption action, Sinclair and another v Sydney Municipality, is still part heard.

NO. 1 JURY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Sly and a jury of four.)

DISPUTE ABOUT PATRIOTIC BUTTONS.

Patrick v Ruskin.

Mr. Mack, instructed by Mr. George Bourne, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. J. J. Cohen, instructed by Messrs. B. Keith Cohen and Walker, for the defendant. This was an action brought by Mary Davidson Patrick against Edward Platt Ruskin, to recover the sum of £91 17s 10d, balance of account for goods sold and delivered to defendant between July, 1915, and December of the same year. The case, on both sides, has already been stated.

The jury found for plaintiff in the full amount claimed.

EJECTMENT ACTION.

Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Society, Ltd., v Stainer.

Mr. Monahan, instructed by Messrs. Allen, Allen, and Hemsley, appeared for the plaintiffs. Defendant did not appear. This was an action of ejectment, brought by plaintiffs against Agnes Louisa Stainer, of Thornleigh, Leeder-avenue, Penshurst, to recover possession of one rood six and a quarter perches of land at Connell's Brush, in the municipality of Kogarah, to which plaintiffs claimed to be entitled since May 8 last.

Verdict for plaintiffs.

NO. 2 JURY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Ferguson.)

RYAN v HARMER.
HARMER v RYAN.

These cross actions are still part heard.

IN EQUITY.

(Before the Chief Judge, Mr. Justice Simpson.)

PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS.

M'Crae v Herkes and another.

In giving his reserved judgment, his Honor said that this was a suit in which a decree was asked on admissions that the defendants, A. G. Herkes and Mr. Beecroft, and plaintiff, G. W. M'Crea, agree to a decree in terms of the first, second, and third prayers of the statement of claim. But a dispute arose as to the further matters. The plaintiff and the defendant Beecroft agreed in July, 1901, with J. R. Higgins and T. O. Carter for the right to cut timber at Dungog. Another agreement in October, 1913, stated that Beecroft was to give Herkes an equal share under certain conditions. This was a partnership at will. After giving further details, his Honor held that the profits of the agreement with Higgins and Carter were absolutely assigned to Herkes, who was therefore not bound to pay for the value of the timber in situ. An order was made for partnership accounts. Plaintiff is to pay the costs of the motion. The general consideration of the suit and the question of further costs were reserved. Mr. E. A. Thompson, instructed by Mr. H. F. M'Intosh, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. W. W. Minahan, instructed by Messrs. Dawson, Waldron, and Glover, for the defendants.

POLLY POINT SEWERAGE.

Attorney-General v Water Supply and Sewerage Board.

This suit still stands part heard.

IN DIVORCE.

(Before Mr. Justice Gordon.)

VINCENT v VINCENT (Rowe co-respondent.)

Mr. Ralston, K.C., who appeared for the petitioner, had not concluded his address when the Court rose. The case has now lasted 22 days.

PROBATE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

The suit, Peadon v Peadon, arising out of a disputed will, is still unfinished.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

EXECUTOR'S PETITION.

Re Joseph Henry Post, deceased, late of Granville, labourer, on the petition of Richard Every Burns, executor of the will of the deceased. Mr. C. F. W. Lloyd, official assignee.

IN LUNACY.

(Before Mr. Justice Harvey.)

Re William James Chidley.

The inquiry into the mental condition of William James Chidley, a patient at the Kenmore Hospital for the Insane, was concluded. His Honor reserved judgment.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Heydon.)

APPLICATION FOR CANCELLATION.

This was an application by the Railway and Tramway Construction Branch of the Field Staff Association of New South Wales for the cancellation of registration of the Railway Workers and General Labourers' Association. His Honor's judgment is reported elsewhere.

MINIMUM LIVING WAGE.

The matter of the minimum living wage of £2 12s 6d fixed by the Court in December last was mentioned by Mr. Justice Heydon. His Honor said that a short time ago, at the request of the association of union secretaries, who desired to put reasons before the Court why the rate should be increased, he had had the matter listed on June 2, on which date Mr. Conington, on behalf of the unions, put the case for a further increase before the two Judges sitting together. After consultation with Mr. Justice Edmunds, they had decided that the employers should be heard in reply, and June 30 had been fixed as the date on which the evidence of the employers on the question would be heard.

PASTRYCOOKS EMPLOYEES' UNION.

This was an application for re-registration by the Pastrycooks Employees' Union. Mr. M. J. Conington appeared for the union, and Mr. E. R. Cohen for the master pastrycooks. The matter was listed to ascertain whether the employers were satisfied with the terms of settlement as drawn up between the parties after the recent strike. Mr. Cohen said this was so, and his Honor said he would reconsider the matter and have it listed again. He would also consider the advisability of removing the injunction, which is still in force, against the president and secretary of the union.

WHOLESALE GROCERS' STOREMEN.

The award of the Transport Group No. 4 (Wholesale Grocers' Storemen) Board was submitted to his Honor by the chairman, who, in a report accompanying the award, stated that the award was made against his wish by a majority of the board. He asked for a ruling on the question before gazetting the award. His Honor, reviewing the history of the case, stated that the union had obtained rates of wages of £3 per week for storemen and £2 18s 6d for packers. On appeal against this award by the employers the rates were reduced to £2 16s and £2 14s 6d respectively, and, as a result of this decrease, the employees went on strike. A conference was subsequently held, at which the employers agreed to restore the higher rates, and it was this latter agreement that the board wished to have made an award of the Court. His Honor said he would refuse the application—firstly, because the men had obtained the increase by illegal means; and, secondly, because the employers had merely made a convenience of the Court by stating they were unable to pay the wages, and then agreeing to do so at a later stage. The award would not be gazetted, and it should be treated as being rescinded, and the award of the Court was to remain in force at the lesser rates.

(Before Mr. Justice Edmunds.)

STOVE AND PIANO FRAME MOULDERS.

The appeal by the Stove and Piano Frame Moulders, etc., Union is still part heard.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Backhouse and Juries.)

Mr. H. Harris, Crown Prosecutor.

TWO ADVENTUROUS LADS.

Sydney Eugene Vickery was charged with having, on April 30, stolen a mare, the property of James Macklotosh; there was a second charge of having stolen a saddle and bridle, the property of James M'Clure. Accused, who pleaded guilty, was represented by Mr. E. R. Abigall, who pointed out that the lad was only 16 years of age. With a companion he was seized with a spirit of adventure. With the horse and a bridle and saddle, they decided to leave home and see Australia. They packed on it all their worldly possessions and tramped alongside it to Bulli. There they proceeded to encamp for the night, but the horse escaped, and their ardour for the adventure abated to such an extent that they went to the local police office and, surrendering themselves, admitted the whole story. Accused was sentenced to six months' hard labour in the State Penitentiary, near Long Bay, the sentence to be suspended on his entering into a recognisance of one surety in the sum of £25, to be of good behaviour for a period of 12 months.

A FALSE STATEMENT.

John Thomas Swain was charged with having, on January 18, at Liverpool, wilfully made a false statement for insertion in the register of births. Accused, who pleaded guilty, was defended by Mr. E. R. Abigall. He was bound over in the sum of £40 to appear and receive sentence if called upon.

BREAKING AND ENTERING.

Daniel Albert Victor Pauley and John James Cree were charged with having on May 10 broken and entered the warehouse of Minnie Mayhew and another, at Sydney, and with having stolen 15cwt of whitelead. Each accused pleaded guilty, and was ordered to be imprisoned and kept to hard labour in Goulburn Gaol for a period of 12 months.

STAMPING OF JEWELLERY.

Edmund John Regan, a dealer in jewellery, and Herbert Bradley, were charged with having, at Newtown, on April 12, falsely pretended to David Sleeman, a pawnbroker, that a certain watch-chain which Bradley attempted to pawn was 15-carat gold, by means of which false pretence the accused attempted unlawfully to obtain £5. Accused, who pleaded not guilty, were defended by Mr. Young. For the defence it was stated that Regan bought up old gold, had it made into modern jewellery, and stamped with the "number" the old gold was stamped with. A "galloper" was employed to sell this jewellery to pawnbrokers and others, but no representations were made that the number 15, for instance, indicated 15-carat gold. Expert witnesses, called, said that, no matter what the "poor public" might think, no "markings" on jewellery—apart from the English hall-mark and the Victorian mark—betokened the carat of the gold. In spite of this fact, jewellery was variously marked. Regan, it was stated, had been carrying on what he maintained was a legitimate business for nearly 20 years.

The Jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the accused were acquitted.

ACQUITTED.

Edward James Moules (36) was charged that, on March 25 last, being then a servant of John Crowley, master carrier, of Randwick, he embezzled 10s, the property of his employer; there was a second charge of having embezzled 5s 6d, and a third of having embezzled 2s. Accused, who pleaded not guilty, was defended by Mr. E. R. Abigall. The jury, without leaving the box, returned a verdict of not guilty, and accused was acquitted.

WATCHMAN ACQUITTED.

Henri Joseph Berthold, a night watchman, was charged with having, on May 14, maliciously wounded Robert Purdie, a master mariner, with intent to do him grievous bodily harm. Accused, who pleaded not guilty, was defended by Mr. H. Levien. For the Crown, it was stated Purdie was captain of the schooner J. M. Weatherwax. He was discovered about in his cabin, and the accused, who was employed as the night watchman on the vessel, was found in the cabin with him. When questioned by the police the accused said he had had a lot of trouble with the captain during the night, as the captain had been drinking. Berthold had tied the captain up to his table. During a struggle the revolver had gone off and wounded the captain in the chest. Accused had said to the police he was afraid for his life.

The captain, under cross-examination, said he had only had two drinks of whisky the night preceding the "accident," but did not remember anything that had happened. At the close of the Crown case his Honor said it was only conjecture as to what had actually happened. He could not see how any jury could find the accused guilty of maliciously wounding. It was a matter for the jurors to decide, however, whether they wished to hear any more evidence. The jury intimated they did not want any further evidence, and returned a verdict of not guilty without leaving the box. In discharging accused his Honor said the accident must probably occurred just as the accused had stated to the police.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Murray.)

Peris v Moody.

The hearing of this case was concluded His Honor reserved judgment.

Cush v United Wire and Nail Company.

Herbert Henry Cush, trading as H. H. Cush and Co., Miller-street, Pyrmont, timber merchants, sued the United Wire and Nail Manufacturing Company, Limited, of Jones-street, Pyrmont, in connection with the death of the plaintiff's horse. The claim stated that the defendant company, by itself and its servants, caused loud noises, whereby the plaintiff's horse, while in a public highway, became frightened, and bolted, and died from injuries received. The vehicle to which the horse was attached and the harness were broken. The sum of £80 was claimed. A second count alleged that the defendant company negligently shifted a tank so that the horse bolted as stated, and £40 was claimed on this count alternatively with the first count.

The defence was a denial of negligence as alleged.

Mr. G. Flannery, instructed by Messrs. John M'Laughlin and Son, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. T. R. Ferguson, instructed by Mr. Ernest R. Cohen, for the defendant.

The case is part heard.

LAW NOTICES.

THURSDAY, JUNE 15.

SUPREME COURT.

Causa Lista.—Banco Court, St. James'-road.—W. J. Sinclaire and another v Municipal Council of Sydney (part heard). At 2 p.m.—Chittenham v Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways. Notice to jurors.—The jurors engaged in the above part-heard case are required to attend at 10 a.m. The jurors summoned to attend Banco Court on Thursday, 15th June, will not be required to attend until 2 p.m.

No. 1 Jury Court, King-street.—Robertson v McMahon. Notice to jurors.—The jurors summoned to attend No. 1 Causes on Thursday, June 15, are required to attend at 10 a.m.

No. 2 Jury Court, king-street.—Ryan v Harmer (part heard); Harmer v Ryan (part heard). Notice to jurors.—The jurors summoned to attend No. 2 Causes on Thursday, June 15, will not be required to attend before Friday, June 16, at an hour to be notified in the morning pap

FUNERALS.

BELL.—The Funeral of the late MARGARET GORAN BELL will leave her late residence, Drummondles, Clifton-street, Balmain, THIS (Thursday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Clyde Hill.
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BRAY.—The Friends of Mr. FRANCIS JAMES BRAY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved WIFE, to move from 36 Gladstone-street, Leichhardt, THIS THURSDAY, at 1 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.
W. N. BULL,
Funeral Director.

BRAY.—The Friends of Mr. PATRICK McCROBY and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly-loved DAUGHTER and SISTER-in-Veronica Bray, to move from 35 Gladstone-street, Leichhardt, THIS THURSDAY, at 1 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Stanmore Station.
W. N. BULL,
Funeral Director.

CHAPPELOW.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DAVID CHAPPELOW and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Ethel Annie, to leave her parents' residence, Ann-street, Arncliffe, THIS DAY, at 1.45, for Woronora Cemetery, via Arncliffe station.
CHARLES KINSELA,
Rockdale, opp. station.
Tel. Kog 6.

CHAPPELOW.—The Friends of Mrs. CHAPPELOW and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved GRANDDAUGHTER and their NIECE, Ethel A. Chappelow, to leave Ann-street, Arncliffe, THIS DAY, at 1.45 p.m., for Woronora Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA.

CHAPPELOW.—The Friends of Mrs. CASTRAY and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved GRANDDAUGHTER and NIECE; to leave Ann-street, Arncliffe, THIS DAY, at 1.45 p.m., for Woronora Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA.

COLLESS.—The Friends of GEORGE, HENRY, ALFRED, and JAMES COLLESS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Eliza Colless, to leave Penrith Railway Station, by 9.30 train, THIS DAY, at 2 p.m.
THOS. KING, Undertaker, Penrith.

COLLESS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN JAMES COLLESS and DAUGHTER ALICE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON and BROTHER, John James Kitchen, to leave their residence, Loudon Cottage, 9 Barker-street, Lemyc, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.45 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Woronora.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker,
108 King-street, Newtown.

DENNIS.—The Friends of Mr. THOMAS WILLIAM DENNIS and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved WIFE and their MOTHER, Mary, to take place THIS DAY, Thursday, to leave the Undertakers' Chambers, at 2.30 p.m., for the Church of England Cemetery, Waverley.
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DENNIS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HOBBS, of Green Cape, and Mr. and Mrs. H. FLAKES, of Elizabeth-street, Paddington, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved SISTER, Mary Dennis, to leave our Mortuary Chambers, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for the Church of England Cemetery, Waverley.
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FISHER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DUNCAN FISHER are invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved son, HENRY VINCENT FISHER, to leave Enfield DAUGHTER and his SISTER, Mary Ann, to meet their residence, 122 Macauley-road, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood, via Stanmore station.
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GEMELL.—The Friends of Mr. HUGH GEMELL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER, Amelia Gemell, to leave her late residence, Farr-street, Rockdale, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA,
Rockdale, opp. station.
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GEMELL.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DAUNDER-SON and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Amelia Gemell, to leave her late residence, Farr-street, Rockdale, for Waverley Cemetery, 3.15 p.m.
CHARLES KINSELA.

GEMELL.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. MARSON and SON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Amelia Gemell, to leave her late residence, Farr-street, Rockdale, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA.

GEMELL.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. L. O'BRIEN and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved SISTER and their AUNT Amelia Gemell, to move from Farr-street, Rockdale, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA.

GEMELL.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR GEMELL and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Amelia Gemell, to leave Farr-street, Rockdale, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA.

GRIFFEN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS G. GRIFFEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their former DAUGHTER, Lena, to leave her residence, Brickfield-street, Erskineville, THIS MORNING, at 9.30, for Newtown station, thence to Rookwood.
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GREEN.—The Friends of Mrs. A. GREEN and FAMILY and UNCLE and AUNT are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved GRANDDAUGHTER and NIECE, to leave their residence, 171 Bridge-street, Erskineville, THIS MORNING, at 9.30, for Rookwood, via Newtown station.
T. J. ANDREWS, Undertaker.

HARDAKER.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. EMMA HARDAKER will leave her late residence, Upper Bay, 96 Cambridge-road, Dulwich Hill, on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at 1.45, for Baptist Cemetery, Rookwood, via Summer Hill station.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker,
108 King-street, Newtown.

HAYNES.—The Friends of the late MARGARET HAYNES are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to leave St. Francis's Church, THIS DAY, at 12.45, for Rookwood Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA,
61 Oxford-street, Paddington.
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HAYNES.—The Friends of WILLIAM and DENIS HAYNES are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Margaret Haynes, to leave St. Francis's Church, THIS DAY, at 12.45, for Rookwood Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA.

HINES.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Private J. M. HINES (on active service) and FAMILY are invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Margaret, to leave St. Francis' Church, Paddington, at 2.30, for Rookwood Cemetery.

HINES.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. HINES and FAMILY and Mrs. A. SIMPSON and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dear MOTHER and GRANDMOTHER, Margaret Hines, to leave St. Francis' Church, Paddington, THIS DAY, at 2.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood.

JOHNSTON.—The Friends of Miss MAY KEYS, of Bondi, are invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved UNCLE, Andrew Johnston; to take place THIS (Thursday) MORNING, Rookwood Cemetery, train leaves Macdonald-street at 9 a.m.
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LYON.—The Funeral of the late Mr. JOHN LAMB LYON will leave his late residence, Joyden, Longueville Point, Balmain, on FRIDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
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NEWMAN.—The Friends of Mrs. CHARLES ERNEST NEWMAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved HUSBAND, to leave the residence, 4 Albion-street, Waverley, THIS (Thursday) MORNING, at 10.30, for Waverley Cemetery. By request, no flowers.
W. CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley.

NEWMAN.—The Friends of Mrs. I. G. NEWMAN and Son of Mr. S. G. NEWMAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved SON and BROTHER, Charles, to leave 4 Albion-street, Waverley, THIS (Thursday) MORNING, at 10.30, for Waverley Cemetery.
W. CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley.

NEWMAN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR NEWMAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER, Charles, to leave 5 Albion-street, Waverley, THIS (Thursday) MORNING, at 10.30, for Waverley Cemetery.
W. CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley.

PENCIE.—The Funeral of the late Captain JAMES GILMOUR will leave his late residence, Cullen-bullen, on FRIDAY (THIS), at 10 o'clock, for Cullen-bullen Presbyterian Church, thence to Cullen-bullen Cemetery, via Blackheath and Mount Victoria Stations.
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SAUERBIER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. SAUERBIER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER and BROTHER, Peter Sauerbier, to leave the late residence, 99 Young-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.45 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.

SAUERBIER.—The Friends of Messrs. FRED. A. and ALFRED and JACK SAUERBIER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late brother, Peter Sauerbier, to leave his residence, 99 Young-street, Redfern, TO-MORROW (Friday), at 1.45, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In Equity.—In the Matter of the Will of WILLIAM CRAIGEN, late of Mullion Creek, near Wellington, in the State of New South Wales, deceased.—And in the Matter of the TRUSTEE ACT, 1898, Part II., Sections 25, 26, and 28.—And in the Matter of the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY (LIMITED) ACT, Secs. 7 and 11.—NOTICE is hereby given that it is intended to make an Application to the Honourable ARCHIBALD HENRY SIMPSON, Chief Judge in Equity, at the Equity Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on Friday, the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, on behalf of CAROLINE CRAIGEN, WILLIAM CRAIGEN, and DEANE FRENCH, for an Order appointing the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY (LIMITED), the Trustee of the Will of the abovenamed WILLIAM CRAIGEN, in substitution for the said CAROLINE CRAIGEN, WILLIAM CRAIGEN, and DEANE FRENCH, the existing Trustees thereof, the said existing Trustees being desirous of being discharged from the Trusts thereof; and for an Order that the consent of the said Chief Judge in Equity may be given to the said Appointment; and for an Order that the landed tenements, hereditaments, mortgage, and other debts, stock, shares, divi-dends, choses in action, and any interest in respect thereto now subject to the Trusts of the said Will, vest in the said Perpetual Trustee Company (Limited), for all the Estate therein of the said CAROLINE CRAIGEN WILLIAM CRAIGEN and DEANE FRENCH, such lands, mortgage, and other debts, stock, shares, dividends, choses in action, and interest to be held by the said Perpetual Trustee Company upon the Trusts of the said Will; and for an Order that service of this Notice may be dispensed with. Dated this thirteenth day of June, 1916. KELLY and WATERFORD, Solicitors for the Applicants, Wellington. By COLLINS and McLAUGHLAND, 77 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the matter of the Estate of DICK TOUGINKIE, late of Cudgen, in the State of New South Wales, Labourer, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, NOTICE is hereby given that every Creditor or other person having any claim against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased (who died on or about the seventeenth day of February, 1916), and Letters of Administration was on the third day of April, 1916, granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE) is hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claim to the said Public Trustee on or before the fifteenth day of July, 1916, at the expiration of which time the said Public Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Public Trustee will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Colwills-chambers, 67 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction (No. 23588).—In the Estate of JANE OVERALL, late of Burwood, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased, intestate.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the third day of August next, at 11.15 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same; and if they shall think fit, object thereto; otherwise, if the said Accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is hereby given that on the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of JEREMIAH OVERALL, the Administrator of the said Estate. Dated this fourth day of June, 1916. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Registrar. ALFRED G. YOUNG, Proctor for the Administrator, 14 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of HENRY WILLIAM TUCKER, late of Morpeth, in the State of New South Wales, Hotelkeeper, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Supreme Court-house, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the 3rd day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same; and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise, if the said Accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is hereby given that on the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Executors. Dated this 3rd day of June, 1916. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Registrar. FRANK E. FOX, Proctor for the Executrix, West Maitland. By his Agents, WEAVER and ALLWORTH, 2 Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will and Codicils of HENRY TOLLEMACH EDWARDS, late of Ulmarra, Ilbenkin, in the State of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debt or claim up or affecting the Estate of the abovenamed deceased (who died on or about the twentieth day of November, 1915), and Probate of whose Will and Codicils was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales in its Probate Jurisdiction on the twelfth day of February, 1916, to JOHN BERNARD SAUTELLE, of Burnima aforesaid, Station Manager, WALTER HENRY HUNTER HIRD, of Sydney, Solicitor, FREDERICK CHARLES BOYD, of Bombala, Solicitor, and CLARENCE CHARLES MOORE BRENNAND, of Bombala, Bank Manager, the Executors named in the said Will and Codicils, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Proctors for the said Executors, on or before the eighth day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and the Executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this thirteenth day of June, 1916. D. M. MYERS and HILL, Proctors for the said Executors, Norwich-chambers, 58 Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ANN COX, late of Main-street, near Dungog, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, NOTICE is hereby given that every Creditor or other person having any claim against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased (who died on the thirteenth day of April, 1915, and Probate of whose Will was, on the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Probate Jurisdiction, to ROBERT MICHAEL COX and GEORGE ALEXANDER MACKAY, the Executors in the said Will named) is hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claim to the said Executors on or before the twenty-seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, at the expiration of which time the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice; and notice is hereby further given that the said Executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this thirteenth day of June, A.D. 1916. ELLIOTT and WILLIS, Proctors for Executors, Dungog.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of WILLIAM WINTER the younger, late of Ramsdenne, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration de bonis non cum testamento of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to GEORGE WINTER, a Brother of the said deceased, and all persons having any claim against the Estate of the said deceased are requested to forward particulars of the same to the undersigned, on whom all Notices may be served. PERCIVAL JAMES MEYER, Proctor for Applicant, Bank-chambers, Montague-street, Goulburn. By his Agents, LAIDLEY, OSBORNE, and MACDONALD, Dixon-buildings, 81 Pitt-street, Sydney.

RE WILLIAM THURBON, late of Jerangle, Farmer, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills, Probate, and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims upon or interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, who died at Jerangle on the 22nd day of December, 1914, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Executors of the Will of the said deceased, before the 20th day of July next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribution of the assets, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice. Dated this thirteenth day of June, 1916. BLAXLAND, MAWSON, and ROSE, Solicitors, Goulburn.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JAMES HERBERT FLOWER, late of Gallipoli, Private in the Seventh Light Horse Regiment, Australian Imperial Force.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration, with the Will annexed, of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to FREDERICK GREGG FLOWER, the Father of the said deceased. All creditors are requested to send in particulars of their claims, and all Notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. BLAND and CUNNINGHAM, Proctors for Administrator, Bega. By their Agents, Messrs. E. PRICHARD BASSETT and CO., Solicitors, 375 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of BENJAMIN ROSS, late of Gundagai, in the State of New South Wales, Freeholder, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EDWARD ERNEST WEEKES and SAMUEL JOSEPH NICHOLLS, the Executors in the said Will named, and all persons having any claim against the Estate of the said deceased are hereby requested to furnish particulars of the same to the undersigned within fourteen days, and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. EDWARD ERNEST WEEKES, Proctor for the Executors, Sheridan-street, Gundagai.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN GOODWIN, late of Adelaide, in the State of South Australia, Minister of the Gospel, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that the Probate of the said Will granted by the Supreme Court of South Australia to ROBERT BECCA GOODWIN and ROBERT JOHN HAROLD HADDOW may be sealed with the seal of this Court. All notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the Estate of the said deceased are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned within the said fourteen days. EDGAR R. NEWMAN, 81 Pitt-street, Sydney, Proctor for the Executors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ALICE JANE FLETCHER, late of Queen's Hall, Oatley Bay, Oatley, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to RICHARD HARTLEY FLETCHER, the Widower of the said deceased, and the Sole Executor named in the said Will. And all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. GEORGE SINCLAIR MACKELLAR, Proctor for the Executor, Twyford House, 17 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN JAMES McCREDIE, late of Ashfield, in the State of New South Wales, Gas Company Employee, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILLIAM HECTOR McCREDIE, the Sole Executor named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all Creditors are required to send in their claims within the said period of fourteen days. J. C. ELPHINSTONE, Proctor for the Executor, Elphinstone, 92 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of NORA FRANCES MARY HALL, late of Gallipoli, formerly of North Sydney, in the State of New South Wales (Lieutenant, 19th Battalion, A.I.F.), deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the above-named deceased may be granted to JOHN VINE HALL, the Father of the said deceased, and all notices may be served at the undermentioned address. 93 Union-street, North Sydney.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ROBERT CURRIE, late of Park-road, Marrickville, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Pastrycook, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills, Probate, and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the Estate of the abovenamed deceased (who died on or about the eleventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen), and Probate of whose Will was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Probate Jurisdiction, on the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, to GEORGE CHARLES CURRIE and EDGAR GLOVER CURRIE, both of No. 233 King-street, Newtown, near Sydney, aforesaid, Pastrycooks, and CONSTANCE ROSE CURRIE, of Park-road, Marrickville, aforesaid, Spinster (the Executors and Executrix named in the said Will), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the said George Charles Currie, Edgar Glover Currie, and Constance Rose Currie, or to the undersigned, the Proctors for the said Executors and Executrix, on or before the second day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said Executors and Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and the said Executors and Executrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person, of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this fourteenth day of June, 1916. DIBBS, PARKER, and PARKER, Proctors for the said Executors and Executrix, B.N.E. chambers, George and Wynyard streets, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate, with the Will annexed, of HERBERT BERNARD GREEN, late of Bullawarr Ranch, Atnarko, British Columbia, in Canada, Private, 13th Battalion, A.I.F., deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills, Probate, and Administration Act, 1898, notice is hereby given that every Creditor or other person having any claim against the Estate of HERBERT BERNARD GREEN, the abovenamed deceased, who died in Belgium on or about the twenty-second day of April, 1915, and Letters of Administration (with the Will annexed), of whose Estate was granted on the twelfth day of June, 1916, granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, to ERNEST WADDELL PERKINS, of 122 Pitt-street, Sydney, the said State, the Administrator of the said Estate, is hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claim to the undersigned, PERKINS, STEVENSON, and CO., of their office, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before the thirty-first day of July, 1916, at the expiration of which time the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice; and notice is hereby further given that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this fourteenth day of June, 1916. PERKINS, STEVENSON, and CO., Proctors for the Administrator, 122 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ANDREW GIBSON BLOOMFIELD, late of Perth, Australia, formerly of Edgecliff-road, Woollahra, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Esquire, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the above-named deceased may be granted to JOHN SYDNEY RICHARDSON, the Executor named in the said Will, VALENTINE OSBORNE, the Executor appointed therein, having renounced Probate. Creditors and all other persons having claims against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are required to send full particulars thereof to the undersigned within the said period of fourteen days; and all notices may be served on the undersigned. DODDS and RICHARDSON, Solicitors for the Executor, 62 Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ELLEN ELIZABETH KEMMIS, late of Greenwich, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ARTHUR CLAUDE KEMMIS, the Executor in the said Will named. Creditors are requested to send their claims to me, and all notices may be served on me at the office of the undersigned. H. WEAVER, Proctor for Executor, Armidale. By Messrs. WEAVER and ALLWORTH, Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of CHARLES PASHLEY SMITH, late of Manilla, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ALFRED CARTER STEVENS and JOHN DUNCAN KENNEDY, the Executors therein named. And all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. JOHN DUNCAN KENNEDY, Proctor for the Applicants, Manilla. By ABBOTT AND ALLEN, 2 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of FRANCIS WILLIAM JOSEPH DONOVAN, late of Newcastle, Cheese-street, Carrington, in the State of New South Wales, Solicitor, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ELLEN DONOVAN, the Executrix in the said Will named. And all Notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all claims should be sent within the said period of fourteen days. FREEHILL, DONOVAN, and HOLLINGDALE, Proctors for the Executrix, Ocean House, Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of PATRICK POWELL, late of Ashfield, in the State of New South Wales, Contractor, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARGARET GRAY and WILLIAM ELLIOTT, the Executrix and Executor named in the said Will; and all Notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, and all creditors, &c., are requested to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned within such fourteen days. BRAYE and COHEN, Proctors for the Executors, Bolton-street, Newcastle. By their Agents, BUCHANAN and SMITHERS, 2 Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of THOMAS CRAIG, late of Kinchela, Macleay River, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of MARTHA CRAIG, WILLIAM CRAIG, and ALEXANDER CRAIG, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, to whom all creditors are required to furnish particulars of their claims within the said fourteen days. GILCHRIST and SHERIDAN, Proctors for the Executors. Kempsey. By their Agents, WEAVER and ALLWORTH, 2 Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of DANIEL PETER SULLIVAN, late of Coolah, in the State of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to CATHERINE SULLIVAN, the Sole Executrix therein named. All persons having claims against the Estate to send same to the office of the undersigned, and all notices are to be served on FRASER and FRASER, Solicitors, Gundagai. By their Agents, MYERS and HILL, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ANNIE ELIZABETH KEMMIS, late of Greenwich, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ARTHUR CLAUDE KEMMIS, the Executor in the said Will named. Creditors are requested to send their claims to me, and all notices may be served on me at the office of the undersigned. H. WEAVER, Proctor for Executor, Armidale. By Messrs. WEAVER and ALLWORTH, Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ELIZABETH CLARKE, late of Redfern, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to NEAL COLLINS, the Executor named in the said Will. All notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, to whom all claims should be sent forthwith. COLLINS and MITCHELL, Proctors for Executor, Record-chambers, 77 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of THOMAS CLAUGHTON, late of Marrickville, in the State of New South Wales, Plumber, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to AGNES CLAUGHTON, the Executrix therein named. All creditors are requested to send in notices of their claims within such fourteen days to the undersigned; and all Notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. Dated this fourteenth day of June, A.D. 1916. HORACE G. WALKER, Proctor for the Executrix, 17 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

MEETINGS.

WAR CHEST DAY.
WOOLLAHRA BRANCH.

A PUBLIC MEETING will be held at the Council-chambers, Woollahra, on THURSDAY, the 22nd instant, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of forming a Local Committee to arrange for the collection of subscriptions and the distribution of the War Chest Day Button in aid of the funds, for our men at the Front.
Ladies and gentlemen willing to assist are cordially invited.
L. W. ROBINSON,
Mayor.

Council-chambers, Woollahra,
13th June, 1916.

VEDANTA READING CLUB meets every Tuesday (Mental Studies), and Thursday (God in everything) in I.O.O.F. Temple. All visitors welcome.

MEDICAL, CHEMICALS, ETC.

CLARKE'S Bat PILLS. A Safe and Reliable Remedy for GRAVEL, Pains in the Back, Kidneys, and all kindred complaints. Free from Mercury. Established upwards of 50 years. Sold by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the world.
Proprietors: The Lincoln and Midland Counties Drug Company, Lincoln, England.

TENDERS.

BRICKLAYERS.—Price per 1000, ready start; also Plastering. Cracknell and Watts, Mill-st, Carlton.

BRICKLAYER.—Labour, 3 coppers, Rose Bay, everything found, 9 a.m., Cummins, 12 Dalley-st, Syd.

CITY OF ADELAIDE.

TENDERS will be received until THURSDAY, 6th JULY, 1916, at 12 noon, for the following Works, namely:—
CONTRACT No. 28.—SUPPLY OF STORAGE BATTERIES FOR ELECTRIC SWEEPER.
Neither the lowest nor any tender necessarily accepted.
The Specification can be seen and further particulars obtained at the City Engineer's Office, Town Hall, Sydney.
H. P. BEAVER, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Adelaide, 9th June, 1916.

DRAINERS.—TENDERS required, Connecting to Sewer, Plumbing, as per plans of Water and Sewerage Board; labour and material. Plans at Residence, Beulah Flats, Waratah-street, Milson's Point.

FOR SALE BY TENDER.

Partly constructed Weatherboard BUILDING in Claremont-road, Burwood, with material necessary to complete; iron roof. Purchaser to tender for same as it now stands and remove.
Tenders close on TUESDAY, 27th INST. Ten per cent. deposit must be lodged with tender, at the office of
HALBERG, PARSONS, and ANDERSON,
Public Accountants,
320 George-street.
Sydney, June 16, 1916.

FENCERS.—PRICE for about 20 rods. Start at once. Sims, Walter-st, Willoughby, 8.30.

NEW SOUTH WALES PUBLIC WORKS.
Norton Griffiths and Company,
Contractors,
88 O'Connell-street,
Sydney.

TENDERS will be received at this Office for the supply and delivery of TIMBER required for the Bunkway to Werris Creek Railway.
Quantities, Specification, General Conditions, and Tender Forms may be obtained at the Head Office in Sydney, and District Office, Werris Creek.
TENDERS, under seal, must be received at the above address on or before 3 p.m., WEDNESDAY, JULY 5th, 1916.
The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
JOSEPH MAYOR,
General Manager.

PLASTERERS.—Wanted, price to do chimney breasts and copper, etc., Waratah-st, Bexley.

PLUMBING.—PRICE wanted for Cottage. Job, rear Presbyterian Church, Forest-rd, Bexley.

PLUMBING, 2 Cottages, Harold-st, Bunnerong Rd., Randwick, via Botany. Aitken. 'Ph., M1354.

PRICE, Bricklaying, Beaumont and Charlotte sts, Campsie. Builder, on job, 10 o'clock.

PRICE for Laying 50,000 Bricks. Apply behind Pinkey's Shop, Oxford-st, Epping.

SHIRE OF HORNSBY.

FRESH TENDERS are invited up to WEDNESDAY, 21st JUNE, at 3 p.m., for—
Contract 2/16.—Carriage of 2200 tons, more or less, of blue metal, from Thornleigh and Pennant Hills stations

BIRTHS.

PURVES.—June 7, at Nyora, Bridge-road, Glebe, to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Purves—a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

GOULDAR-SMITH—GREEN.—June 14, 1916, at St. Peter's, Darlinghurst, by the Rev. S. H. Denman, Edward Goulder-Smith, of Gloucester, England, to Emily Beatrice Green, of Bromley, Kent, England.

SMITH—CALMAN.—At Eagleton House, on April 15, 1916, by the Rev. D. W. Davies, Sydney, Arthur, youngest son of G. H. Smith, of Southend on Sea, England, to Agnes Thomson, eldest daughter of Mrs. Calman, of Eagleton, Raymond Terrace.

SILVER WEDDINGS.

COWPER—BROWN.—June 10, 1891, at St. John's Church, Parramatta, by the Very Rev. the Dean of Sydney, grandfather of the bridegroom, assisted by the Venerable Archdeacon Gunther, Harington Burrough, eldest son of the late William Cowper, of Goulburn, to Edith, third daughter of Walter Brown, M.D., of Brislington, Parramatta. Present address: Allowah, Parramatta.

ROLL OF HONOUR.

BALDIE.—In loving memory of my dear friend, Corporal W. D. Baldie, who died of wounds June 10, 1915. Inserted by his fond friend, Era Robertson.

DARGAN.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Gunner W. R. Dargan, 3rd Battery, died of wounds at Gallipoli, June 15, 1915.
Sleep on, beloved, and take thy rest,
We loved thee well, but Jesus loved thee best.
Inserted by his loving father, mother, brothers, and sisters.

GLANVILLE.—In loving memory of Lieutenant Leigh Glanville, of 1st Battalion, who lost his life at Gallipoli on June 15, 1915. Sadly missed by all. Inserted by his loving uncle, aunt, and cousins, James, Auntie, Ted, Myra Glanville.

JACKSON.—Killed in action in France, May 21, 1916, Private Allen H. Jackson, beloved husband of Rose Jackson, 85 St. John's-road, Glebe, and youngest son of William Jackson, of 127 Bridge-road, Glebe, aged 26.

JACKSON.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Pte. Alan Jackson, killed in action in France May 21, 1916.
He gave his life for his country.
Inserted by his loving parents, brothers, and sisters.

JOHNSTON.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Victor Roy Johnston, 3rd Battalion, killed in action at Gallipoli, June 15, 1915, aged 21 years, fourth son of Mr. G. Johnston, Canterbury.
A young life nobly ended.

RICHARDS.—In loving memory of our late comrade, Corporal Alf. Richards, who was killed in France about May 25, 1916. He did his duty. Inserted by the members of the Rockdale Municipal Band.

DEATHS.

BELL.—June 14, 1916, at the residence of Captain J. M. Banks, Drummondlea, Clifton-street, Balmain, Margaret Goram, second daughter of the late James Bell, Perthshire, Scotland, and loved cousin of Mrs. J. M. Banks. By request, no flowers. Brisbane papers please copy.

BUZOLICH.—June 13, suddenly, at his residence, Illinois, The Terrace, Malvern, Victoria, Douglas Buzolich, late Deputy Coroner, Melbourne, loved husband of Amy, father of Vio (Mrs. S. Benwell), Amy, Will, Lieutenant Douglas, Lieutenant John, Sergeant Frank, Sergeant Harry Buzolich. Inserted by his brother, James N. Buzolich, of Killara, N.S.W.

DENNIS.—Mary Dennis, beloved sister of S. and H. Hobbs, of Greencape, and E. and H. Flukes, Elizabeth-street, Paddington, as the result of an accident. After life's fitful fever she sleeps well.

DURRANT.—June 14, at St. George Cottage Hospital, E. E. Durrant, in his 46th year. Sydney papers please copy.

FISHER.—June 13 1916, Mary Lola, dearly beloved infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Fisher, of 122 Maranley-road, Stanmore, aged 6 weeks. A bud in Heaven.

GATES. June 9, 1916, Mary, relict of the late William Gates, formerly of Ross, New Zealand, aged 77 years.

HARDAKER.—June 14, 1916, at her late residence, Appesley, 108 Constitution-road, Dulwich Hill, Emma Hardaker, widow of the late Louis Hardaker (for 30 years with the Australian Gas Light Co.), aged 65 years. By request, no flowers.

LYON.—June 13, 1916, at his residence, Joylen, Longnose Point, Balmain, John Lamb, beloved husband of Elizabeth Gillespie Lyon, peacefully at midnight, in his 81st year. Home papers please copy.

MITCHELL.—June 10, at his residence, Regent-street, Edinburgh, Richard Blunt, last surviving son of the late Colonel Sir Thomas Livingstone Mitchell, D.C.L., formerly Surveyor-General of N.S.W., in his 79th year. (By cable.)

MUNRO.—June 14, at the residence of her son, Allan Munro, of Wiggins-street, Botany, Mary Ann, widow of the late Alexander Munro, builder, of Liverpool, N.S.W., in her 83rd year.

NELSON.—June 14, at her residence, Ramsay-road, Haberfield, Alice Charlotte Nelson, wife of Andrew Nelson, and the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grenge, St. Kilda, Dalhousie-street, Haberfield, age 58 years.

NEWMAN.—At 8 Allison-street, Waverley (suddenly), Charles Ernest. By request, no flowers.

NOBLE.—June 14, 1916, at his residence, Waldkatz, Ourimbah-road, Mosman, John Noble, contractor, aged 83 years.

SHIPPER.—June 10, Margaret Emma, daughter of the late William Matthews, of Wyong, Sherwood, beloved wife of Frederick James Shipper, of 300 Bowen-terrace, Brisbane.

SMAIL.—June 14, 1916, at his son's residence, Railway-street, Wentworthville, John, fifth son of the late Henry Small, of Camden, age 79 years.

STILES.—June 9, 1916, at his residence, Kanooma, Bega, Charles Tarlton Stiles, aged 77 years.

IN MEMORIAM.

ALEXANDER.—In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Sapphire, who departed this life June 15, 1911, aged 9 years and 8 months, at her parents' residence, Oaklands, N.S.W.
We cannot clasp thy hand, dear daughter,
Thy face we cannot see,
But let this lifeless form tell,
We still remember thee.
Inserted by her loving father and mother, Louis and Julia Alexander, sisters, and brothers.

ATPUT.—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Elizabeth Andet, who departed this life June 15, 1915. Inserted by her loving son, George, wife, and children.

BARNETT.—In loving and affectionate memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, Leah Barnett, who passed away 4th of Tamuz, 5676, June 15, 1915. God rest her dear soul in everlasting peace. Ever in our thoughts. Sadly missed by her loving husband and children.

BROWNLEE.—In loving memory of our darling daughter and sister, Lila, who departed this life June 15, 1915.
Silently a mother's weeping,
Softly droops a father's head;
Death has claimed their little darling,
Baby's numbered with the dead.
Though we cast down in tears and sorrow,
Though they've lost the one they love,
Softly comes the angel's whisper,
Baby's safe in heaven above.
Inserted by her loving father, mother, sisters, and brothers, James and Emily Brownlee.

CABEL.—In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, William Cabel, who departed this life June 15, 1915.
As he lies in peaceful sleep,
His memory we will always keep.
Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, Fan and Albert Swadling, and grandchildren, George and France Peterson.

CANTY.—In loving memory of my darling sister, Mabel Frances, who fell asleep June 15, 1913.
As she lies in peaceful sleep,
Her memory I shall always keep.
Inserted by her loving brother, Lance.

CLARKE.—In loving memory of my dear husband, William Clarke, showman, who departed this life June 15, 1914, at New Plymouth, New Zealand.
My thoughts do wander to a grave so far away,
But not too far for to reach,
Thoughts of you are ever near.
Inserted by Eva.

CLARKE.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, James Clarke, who departed this life at 7 Junction-street, North Sydney, June 15, 1914.
Though death divides, fond memory clings.
Inserted by his loving wife and children.

COWAN.—In loving memory of our daughter and sister, Victoria, who departed this life June 15, 1912, aged 5 years and 7 months.
This lovely bud, so young and fair,
Called home by early doom,
Just came to show how sweet a flower
In Paradise would bloom.

EVERETT.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Sarah Everett, who departed this life June 15, 1913.
We who loved you sadly miss you.
As it dawns another year,
In the lonely hours of thinking,
Thoughts of you are ever near.
Inserted by her loving husband and daughters, Annie and Ada Everett.

EVERETT.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who passed away June 15, 1913. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Willie and Mary Everett, and grandchildren.

EVERETT.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Sarah Everett, who departed this life June 15, 1913.
Day by day we think what she is doing,
In those bright realms of air;
Year after year her tender steps pursuing,
Behold her growth more fair.
Thus do we walk with her, and keep unbroken
The bond which nature gives,
Thinking that our remembrance, though unspoken,
May reach her where she lives.
Inserted by her loving son, Henry Everett.

HATLEY.—In remembrance of our dearly beloved wife and mother, Emily Louisa, who departed this life June 15, 1913. Inserted by her loving husband, Albert, and children, Arthur, Jack, Bertie, George, and Emily.

HATLEY.—In ever loving memory of our dear sister, Emily Louisa, who departed this life June 15, 1915, aged 32 years.
As you lie in peaceful sleep,
Your memory we will always keep.
Ever loved by her brother and sister, Gert and George, also Frank and her five children.

HATLEY.—In loving remembrance of Emily Louisa, who departed this life June 15, 1915. Inserted by her mother-in-law, M. Whiteley, and sister-in-law, Mrs. W. H. Gatley, and Mrs. W. Barnett, and Mrs. S. Gatley.

GILHAM.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, John Thomas Gilham, who died June 15, 1922. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

HARDING.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Alice Maude, who departed this life June 15, 1915, aged 61 years. Dead, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving son, Fred.

HURLEY.—In loving memory of our dear beloved brother, who departed this life on June 15, 1914, inserted by his loving sister, Mary Ann Hurley, and cousins, C. Wright, Gladys and Stella Gregory.

IRVINE.—In sad but loving memory of our dear daughter, Mabel, who died June 15, 1913.
Though death divide,
Fond memories cling.
Inserted by her loving father and mother, John V. and Lilian Canty.

JUCHS.—In sad but loving memory of our darling Hettie daughter, Thelma C. A. Lucre, who departed this life June 15, 1900, aged 3 years. Inserted by her loving parents and brother, Rebel, William, and Clives.

LYONS.—In loving remembrance of our dearly beloved son and brother, Morris Lyons, who departed this life June 15, 1906. May his soul rest in peace. Inserted by his loving parents and sister, Sonny, Daffo, and Sophie Lyons.

IN MEMORIAM.

LONARD.—In sad and ever-loving memory of my dear husband, and our dear dada, Jacob, who departed this life June 15, 1915, at his late residence, Cuma, 441 Glebe-road, Glebe Point.
We have lost our darling dada,
A life linked with our own;
How we miss his loving footsteps
As we wander on alone.
One year ago, no tongue can tell,
How anxiously we stood
Beside our darling dada's bed,
To keep him if we could.
What happy hours we once enjoyed,
When we were all together;
But now, dear Jacob, have left
An aching heart this world can never better.
Inserted by his loving wife, Mary Ann, and children, Thomas, Beatrice, Herbert, and Roy. My dear angel guardian, lead him to the altar of God. R.I.P.

LONARD.—In sad but loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, Jacob Lonard, who departed this life June 15, 1915, aged 60 years.
Far in a lonely graveyard
Lies our loving father in peace.
He died in the arms of Jesus,
And is with Him now at rest.
Inserted by his loving daughter, Katie, and son-in-law, Owen, also his little grandchildren, Oswald and Marie. R.I.P.

LONARD.—In sad but loving memory of our dear father, Jacob Lonard, who departed this life June 15, 1915.
Empty is your corner, dad,
Vacant is your chair
It is when we go to visit mum
We miss you everywhere.
Inserted by his sorrowing son and daughter-in-law, Jake and Maude.

LONARD.—In loving memory of our dear father, Jacob Lonard, who departed this life June 15, 1915, aged 60 years.
Gentle in mind, patient in pain,
Our dear father left us, heaven to gain;
With actions so noble, generous, and kind,
Few in this world his equal will find.
Not gone from memory, not gone from love,
But gone to his father's home above.
Inserted by his loving son and daughter-in-law, Jack and Elsie, and little granddaughter, Doris.

NEAL.—In fond memory of my dear husband, James Neal, who departed this life June 15, 1913. Inserted by his loving wife and children.

NICHOLLS.—A loving tribute to the memory of a dearly-loved husband and father, James Nicholls, who died June 15, 1913, aged 38 years.
Our home is always lonely,
My heart is always sad;
I miss my loving husband,
The little ones miss their dad.
A loving father thou hast been,
A husband true and kind,
A fonder heart could never beat
To those now left behind.
And though we see not a step before us,
We journey on without fear;
The past is all in God's keeping,
His presence the future will clear.
Inserted by his sorrowing wife and children, Vera, Muriel, and Doris Nicholls.

NICHOLLS.—A tribute of love to the memory of my dear son and my dear brother, James Nicholls, who died June 15, 1913, aged 38 years.
Just when life was brightest,
Just when his hopes were best,
He was called away from his loved ones,
To a home of eternal rest.
Inserted by his sorrowing mother and brother, Albert.

NICHOLLS.—A loving tribute to the memory of our dear brother, James Nicholls, who died suddenly, June 15, 1913, aged 38 years. Always remembered. Inserted by his loving sisters and brothers-in-law, Isabella and Alfred Brett, Elizabeth and William Young, Martha and David Walker, brother and sister-in-law Aaron and Millie Nicholls.

NICHOLLS.—A loving tribute to the memory of our dear brother-in-law, James, died June 15, 1913, aged 38 years. Never forgotten. Inserted by Sid and Jessie Redwin.

NICHOLSON.—In loving memory of my only sister Katie, who departed this life June 14, 1913, aged 28 years. Though death divides, fond memory clings. Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law and family, Dode Leslie, Jack Leslie, Katie.

O'HARA.—In loving remembrance of my dear wife and our dear mother, Annie, who departed this life June 15, 1905, at Balmain.
Released from all sorrow and pain.
Inserted by her husband and daughters, John and Frances O'Hara, and Lucy Harkness, 142 Mullens street, Rozelle.

PINK.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Sarah, who departed this life June 15, 1911, aged 21 years.
You are not forgotten, mother, dear,
Nor will you ever be;
As long as life and memory last,
We will remember thee.
Inserted by her loving daughters, Eileen and Lily.

PINK.—In loving memory of our dear daughter, Sarah, who departed this life June 15, 1911, aged 21 years.
Although five years have now gone past
Since that great sorrow fell,
Yet in our hearts we mourn the loss
Of one we loved so well.
Inserted by her loving father and mother, sisters and brothers.

PLUMRIDGE.—In loving memory of our dear mother who departed this life June 15, 1905. The memory ever dear. Inserted by her loving children, Queenie, Minnie, Bob, Arthur.

QUIGLEY.—In loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, who departed this life June 15, 1915. Inserted by her loving husband and children, Kitty, Nelly, and Jim. R.I.P.

RODGERS.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Nora, who died June 15, 1915. Inserted by her husband, W. F. Rodgers.

RODGERS.—In fond memory of our sister, Nora Rodgers, who departed this life June 15, 1915. Inserted by her sisters and brother, J. White, M. Treacy, K. Freeman, and D. Walsh.

ROFFE.—In loving memory of my dear son and our brother, Percy, who died this life June 15, 1913. Inserted by his loving mother, brothers, sister, and sister-in-law.

ROSS.—In loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother (Susan Hannah), who departed this life June 15, 1906. Inserted by her loving husband, William, and children, James, Ruby, Stella, Susie, and Gladys.

SCHRYVER.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Hannah Schryver, who departed this life June 1, 1904. Inserted by her loving sons and daughter, Charles and Albert Brown, Sarah Talbot.

SHANKS.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Emma Ann Shanks, who departed this life June 15, 1914, aged 61 years.
Though lost to sight to memory ever dear.

SPOHN.—In loving memory of our darling Sadie, who was called to rest June 15, 1915. Our bud in Heaven. Inserted by her loving parents, sister, and aunt, A. G. and A. Spohn, and A. Thompson.

SPOHN.—In fond and ever loving memory of Sadie Spohn, who departed this life on June 15, 1914, aged 1 year 9 months.
The children of heaven, all robed in white,
Were happy at play in the city of light,
When Jesus came smiling, and said to His band,
Here's another little playmate, give Sadie your hand.
Inserted by her loving godmother, E. R. Stone.

STRETTLES.—In loving memory of my dear wife and mother, who passed away this life June 15, 1912. Inserted by her affectionate husband, William Strettles, and children.

STRETTLES.—In loving memory of my dear mother, who departed this life June 15, 1912. Inserted by her daughter and son-in-law, Margaret and Joseph Fantano.

STRETTLES.—In sad and loving memory of my dear daughter, who departed this life June 15, 1912. Inserted by her loving father, Martin Butler.

WILLIAMS.—In loving memory of my dear friends, Gladys and Norrie Williams, who departed this life June 10 and 14, 1915. Inserted by their loving friend, P. Erskine.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.
THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 1916.

THE ECONOMIC CONFERENCE.

Our cablegrams of to-day and yesterday make it quite clear that the delegates to the Economic Conference in Paris have come together in a severely practical mood. The newspapers will give them abundant opportunities of addressing the public, and there will doubtless be ceremonies similar to those which preceded and followed the diplomatic conference in March. But the allied Ministers will have very little time to spare either for ceremonies or polemics. After meeting under the presidency of M. Briand they have divided themselves into committees in which their programme will be attacked in the only way possible for a body of men with urgent problems to discuss within a limited time. In these committees they will carry out the task which was assigned them by the earlier diplomatic conference, the discussion of reports on the blockade and on freights, the co-ordination of the plans of all the allied countries for the better prosecution of the war, and the discussion of proposals by which they will be able to guard themselves against an economic invasion when the war is over. Of these groups of problems the last has received by far the most attention in England, where the slightest encouragement will revive party disputes. It has been discussed with some apprehension by French critics who would regard the establishment of an Imperial Zollverein in its wider form as an act of treachery. But the programme already published shows that the delegates accept the view expressed by General Botha that the most important interest of every country is to defeat the Germans. In this belief they will devote as much attention to the period of the war as to its consequences. The committees which consider immediate problems will have at least two advantages over those concerned with the future. Within measurable limits they will know the material with which they have to deal. Their decision will in almost every case be binding on their respective Governments. To some extent this conference will be in the same position as its forerunner, whose duty it was to ratify decisions already made. The closing of the Italian frontier to all trade with Germany, and to all goods of German manufacture is now an accomplished fact, so is the establishment of a Customs union between Italy and France for the duration of the war, the system of valuing French goods about to be exported to Russia at their port of origin, and the arrangement to maintain the rate of exchange between Great Britain and France. Such matters could not wait for a conference, which was postponed from day to day to suit the convenience now of one Minister, now of another. Agreements between two Powers may, however, form the basis of wider arrangements among all the Allies. With them will be grouped such questions as the exchange of labour, whether technical or unskilled, the utilisation of German shipping, the reduction in postal and telephone services, and the diffusion of information such as has been collected by the Ministry for Inventions in France, under M. Painleve, and the Board of Inventions in England. The conference may learn or may show how one ally may make up for the industrial deficiencies of another, just as in military affairs the Belgians, the French, and the Japanese between them have made up for the industrial deficiencies of Russia and helped in the present advance.

When they deal with the conditions that will follow the war the delegates will remember that no Government will be bound by their decisions. The best that any delegate can do will be to learn and discuss, so that he may afterwards advise his own countrymen on the opinions and resources of other nations. On some questions, however, they will all be agreed in principle. France and Belgium must be given special protection whilst they are recovering from the effects of invasion. There must be a general understanding between the Allies as to the compensation for damage caused by military and naval operations. Germany must not be allowed to recover her lost markets in allied territory by flooding them with cheap goods accumulated during the war. Differences of tradition and opinion must necessarily reveal themselves in any discussion on the best method of retarding the advance of German trade. All nations will agree that a people of seventy millions cannot be kept in subjection or in exile from the rest of the world. When the different systems of France, Italy, Great Britain, and Russia are reviewed it will be clear that no permanent tariff union is possible. On many points, however, it will be possible for the Allies to help each other, even by their tariff systems. The British Government a few months ago yielded to a vigorous French protest against its decision to prohibit the import of wines into England. They will remember the grounds of the protest when they are asked to frame a preferential tariff. In the future, in inserting a most favoured nation clause in their treaties the allied Governments will not fall into the trap of making important concessions to Germany in return for unimportant relief from her. Great Britain, for instance, will not again find that a treaty with Roumania compels her to co-operate with German shipping owing to the right granted to Germany to enjoy the same privileges as every other country. Whether the system of a tariff on a sliding scale discriminating between allies, neutrals, and enemies is adopted depends mainly on the feeling of each country after the war. The model for such a tariff, the International sugar convention, which discriminates against bounties, is not very encouraging, since it was altered to suit the needs of political parties. But clearly the public attitude to tariffs will be very different after the war from what it has been before. There will be an irresistible demand that the nation shall be self-supporting in vital industries, though what is the limit of vital interests no one with the record of this war before him will venture to determine. There will be a widespread and deeply felt resolve not to deal with Germans or to buy goods of German origin. But as all the delegates are aware, neither sentiment nor tariffs will beat the Germans when they are bent on restoring their markets and their credit. They must be met by equal energy, equal knowledge, and equal readiness for work. To the economic and diplomatic conferences we should add a conference on education and industry. Without these two weapons the Allies may prevent the Germans from enlarging their territory. They will not be able to prevent them from flooding the world with their cheap goods, and from penetrating into every country which has sufficient resources to attract them, but has not the energy to resist.

WITHDRAWAL OF CAPITAL.

One unexpected result of the war has been to direct sharp attention to the faulty constitution of the Empire as a taxing machine. Long before the outbreak of hostilities it was fully realised by persons affected that a system that permitted triple income tax and succession duties was inequitable, and there was some talk of its being likely to cause the withdrawal of capital. Now, with the higher scale of taxes imposed in England and in Australia in consequence of the war, the actual process of withdrawal has set in, and from the very nature of things must increase in geometric ratio if taxation be further augmented. As is mentioned in our financial columns, money has quite recently been remitted to London, and it is understood that large sums are to be liquidated as soon as convenient for withdrawal to the United Kingdom. In one case the taxpayer was being called upon to pay triple tax, aggregating in all to 13s in the £. It is obvious that he had no option in such a case but to gather up his resources so that they would no longer be a prey for more than one taxgatherer. At the same time this is a process which is decidedly harmful to Australian interests. In a partially developed country like ours we need all the assistance we can get from outside capital. Its incoming should be encouraged in every way, its withdrawal regarded as undesirable.

It is clear enough that something must be done. Mr. M'Kenna, the British Chancellor of the Exchequer, recognised this in his latest Budget speech, in this respect being more reasonable than Mr. Lloyd George, his predecessor in office, who refused to come to any arrangement when asked to do so long before the war broke out. The difficulty is that all three Governments badly want money, and none of them is anxious to make any sacrifice of income, more especially when, as it was expressed the other day, the Empire Atlas-like is now bearing the world's financial burden on its back. Let us consider the position. A person in Great Britain may be called upon under the revised schedule to contribute 8s 6d in the £ to the State. In Australia anyone whose income exceeds £7500 a year must contribute 5s in the £ for all income in excess of that amount, as well as about 2s in the £ under the State Taxing Act. So a British investor who has property, say, in New South Wales, may find more than three-fourths of his income absorbed by the threefold taxmasters. This would apply also to an absentee Australian, but it would not apply to an Australian domiciled within the Commonwealth part of whose income was derived from securities inscribed abroad. An Australian holder of consols, for instance, is taxed once only, enactments of colonial legislatures having no ex-territorial effect. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, therefore, is not in precisely the same position as Australian Treasurers. His net is flung farther afield than theirs. So if any arrangement be come to between the Governments interested—and to bring something of this sort about was supposed to be part of the object of Mr. Hughes's visit to London—the British Government has more to lose than the Governments of either States or Commonwealth. The incidence of the succession duties is much the same as that of the income tax, and it falls equally harshly upon the representatives of deceased investors with property in different portions of the Empire. The estate of a wealthy man dying to-day may be called upon to contribute practically one-half of its value to the State; and in these days of war, and consequently of depreciated values of securities, estates may sacrifice even more through losses incurred upon realisation.

It is clear that an Empire resting on such foundations is far from stable. Its financial organisation contains an element of repulsion instead of one of binding force. A British investor is encouraged under such a system, or lack of system, to invest his savings away from, instead of under, the flag. If it be suggested that the income tax should be levied only by the Government of the place where the income is earned, then the irresistible temptation of the domiciled Englishman would be to invest his money outside his own country, where the tax is heavy, and within some other country, foreign or otherwise, where it is comparatively light, much to the detriment of the Exchequer. If it is suggested that the basis of taxation be the domicile of the taxpayer, as is the case in England, and that that be the limit, then the Australian Federal and State Treasurers would find their revenue much reduced by their inability to gather in any taxation upon the large amounts of outside capital invested within their respective jurisdictions. It is clear, however, to repeat the now historic phrase of Sir Edward Grey, used in another connection, we cannot "have it both ways." If some relief is to be granted to the taxpayer some detriment must of necessity be suffered by the revenue. Though it is difficult to propose any really equitable readjustment that would be entirely free from objection, it is imperative that some arrangement should be arrived at. Possibly Mr. M'Kenna may be persuaded to make a further concession.

"DOCTRINAIRES AND POLITICIANS."

The president of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the Commonwealth has forwarded to the various State chambers a resolution passed at the recent conference in favour of considering the practicableness of adopting profit-sharing as a panacea for industrial troubles. He recommends that the study of the subject should be in the hands of chambers of commerce "rather than in those of doctrinaires and politicians." We do not propose to discuss whether the suggested remedy is of any value in the particular connection in which it is proposed. Its adoption may or it may not have the desired effect, but the important point is that business men are slowly beginning to realise that they should give their best thoughts to economic problems. The peculiar training of the man of affairs is such as to enable him more easily than the doctrinaire or the politician to steer clear of the many pitfalls that are so liable to cause the economic adventurer to stumble. Much the same idea was evidently in the minds of the British chamber, which some months back recommended the establishment of a Minister for Commerce, but deliberately suggested that the occupant of that office should be a business man, and not a lawyer, a journalist, or a university professor. Of course it is evident what has taken place in the past. Business men have cheerfully gone on making money, and have elected to leave the more important but for them less profitable affairs of State to others. That their particular interests should in these circumstances have been neglected is not to be wondered at, and it is a healthy sign that even at this late hour they are prepared, not like Johnson's scholar, to "pause from letters to be wise," but to pause from money-making lest they become impoverished. No doubt the secret of the changed attitude is that business men are beginning to feel that they are being hurt. Through maladministration of the public funds they are being taxed much more heavily than with better management would be necessary. With the Legislature in control of their workmen they find that the Statute Book is being filled with laws in their disfavour. So they are gradually wakening up. On the purely political side they have at last become conscious of the fact that organisation must be met by organisation. They have not so far realised the need of getting any of their own class into the Legislature as a part of their deliberate policy. Possibly something of that sort will follow. Those business men who at present interest themselves in things political are not sufficiently numerous to make their weight felt in any very potent way. It would be well if Parliament included representatives of the country's big interests as well as representatives of mere numbers. The awakening of men of affairs is a sign of improving health on the part of the body politic.

CONSCRIPTION.

LABOUR MEMBERS AND P.L.L.

At a meeting of the executive of the Political Labour League on Tuesday evening the position of Labour candidates who were known to favour conscription in some form was considered. The Premier (Mr. Holman) and the Minister for Works (Mr. Cann) were present. Nothing definite was decided upon.

At the P.L.L. Conference, recently held, a motion was carried that no endorsement should be given to the selection of any Labour candidate who advocated conscription. The executive of the P.L.L. was preparing to give effect to the resolution, but as conscription had been openly advocated by members of the Ministry and of the Labour party since the motion was passed, the executive desired to know the future intentions of the members on the question.

It was ascertained that the executive insisted that its demands should be acceded to. Labour Ministers and members, however, would not pledge themselves not to advocate conscription, preferring to be guided by the actions of the Federal Government with reference to the question. If the Federal Government said it was not necessary they would be prepared not to advocate it.

A further meeting of the executive will be shortly convened, when the matter will be again gone into.

HARDEN, Wednesday.

The local War Service Committee unanimously passed a motion in favour of conscription.

BUTTER SHORTAGE.

POSITION VERY ACUTE.

MR. HALL ACTS.

Butter was almost unobtainable in wholesale parcels yesterday, and there is every indication that grocers will to-day be unable to secure more than 10 per cent. of their normal requirements.

The bulk of the butter sold in Sussex-street comes from Byron Bay, and information received from that port shows that owing to the rough weather the North Coast Company's boat has been unable to get alongside the wharf, and that in the most favourable circumstances it would be impossible for her to land her shipment of 3000 or 4000 boxes in Sydney before Friday afternoon.

The decision of the Necessary Commodities Commission to allow an advance of only 4/3 per cwt. instead of the 12/ asked for does not meet with the approval of some of those houses which hold portion of the 20,000 boxes of butter in store under the Government winter supply scheme, and it appears likely that should the commission not review its decision very little of the stored supplies will be voluntarily released. Mr. Hall, however is sanguine of being able to influence the holders to withdraw 1000 boxes to fill the present shortage. "I am arranging for 1000 boxes to be brought out of store during the present week," said Mr. Hall yesterday, "and this butter should be on the market on Friday. Larger withdrawals will be required as the winter advances, but the 20,000 boxes in store should be sufficient to see us through the next 10 weeks. I am confident that there will be no repetition of last year's famine."

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor, attended by General Finn (private secretary) and Captain Firth, A.D.C., took the salute at the review of French troops in the Domain yesterday afternoon. His Excellency was accompanied by Lady Edeline Strickland.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Edeline Strickland entertained the following guests at dinner at Government House last evening:—Sir Alexander MacCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Docker, Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Braddon, and Miss Henderson.

The Acting Prime Minister (Senator Pearce) will visit the Federal capital site next week-end, leaving Melbourne on Saturday, and returning on Tuesday or Wednesday.

The Premier (Mr. Holman) left Sydney last night by the Coonamble mail. He will deliver a speech at Coonamble to-night in connection with the dispute over the Labour selection for that seat, now held by Private Atkins, of the Army Service Corps.

To-morrow is the anniversary of the birthday of King Gustaf V. of Sweden, when his Majesty will have attained the age of 58 years. Owing to the present political situation, no official reception will be held at the consulate.

Canon Hay, rector of St. Andrew's, South Brisbane, has been appointed by the Bishop of Tasmania as Dean of Hobart and incumbent of St. David's. He succeeds Dean Kite, who resigned recently in order to return to England.

Brigadier-General Wallack, C.B., who has been dangerously ill in hospital in Egypt, is now convalescent, and on his way home to Australia.

Major W. L. Stuart, of Adelaide, arrived in Sydney yesterday.

Mr. S. Shimizu, Consul-General for Japan, who is on a visit to Melbourne, will return to Sydney on Saturday.

On Tuesday afternoon the ceremony of unveiling a memorial to the late Mr. Gervys Hazlitt took place at the King's School, where, at the time of his death, Mr. Haslitt was one of the housemasters. The boys of the school were drawn up in the cricket ground, where Mrs. Waddy unveiled the memorial.

Mr. P. Selig, chairman of the New Zealand Press Association, is at present in Sydney. He has made the visit primarily for health purposes.

Dr. T. F. Ryan, of Melbourne, Dr. and Mrs. Pascoe, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Eagar, of Brisbane, and Miss Piper, of Neutral Bay, are among the passengers booked for San Francisco by the Sonoma, sailing next week. Dr. T. A. Hynes, of Adelaide, is going to Honolulu by the same vessel.

Mr. S. M'Intosh, Director of Irrigation in South Australia, will leave for a health trip to Norfolk Island by the Makambe to-morrow.

Mr. Van Stuyters, managing director of the Batavia Sea and Fire Insurance Company, Captain Riemsdyk, a Dutch army officer, who has been purchasing remounts in Australia, and Captain Belts, of the Dutch Royal Packet Navigation Company, who is on a holiday tour, will leave for Java by the Houtman to-day.

Mr. Ivo Whitton, Australian amateur golf champion, who went to England some months ago, is now in the Royal Horse Artillery division of the officers' training school at St. John's Wood, London. Mr. Whitton's age precluded him from a chance of getting a commission in the Australian forces, so he obtained permission to go to England to join the British army.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lanceley and Miss Carrie Lanceley, who have been absent in Europe for several years, were welcomed home at a conversazione in the Town Hall, Chatswood, last night. Alderman R. T. Forsyth, Mayor of Willoughby, presided.

Mr. Joseph Wolinski, of this city, who has been settled in New York for a year past, has had exhibited at the Royal Academy, London, the preliminary sketch of his picture of St. Paul's Cathedral, London. The finished work was shown at his own exhibition at the Public Library, New York, and is described as remarkable for an atmospheric effect, through which is discerned a hazy view of the great cathedral, with shipping and mud flats in the foreground. The acceptance of the sketch forms a special tribute to the talent of this Australian artist.

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RUSSIANS

THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE.

ITALIANS

CAPTURE POSITIONS.

CANADIANS DO WELL.

A Petrograd official report says that, as in most places the Austro-German troops have been taken out of reach of the Russians, little increase has been made in the number of prisoners.

"We crossed the Dniester," the communique proceeds, "and captured many fortified points. We are continually making progress."

By brilliant assaults, the Italians captured a strongly fortified line in the Lagarina Valley (Trentino).

The Canadians at Zillebeke recaptured all their old positions along a front of 1500 yards.

They inflicted heavy losses, and took prisoners. Although heavily shelled by the Germans, the Canadians retained the ground.

The enemy penetrated some French trenches west of Thiaumont (east of the Meuse). Elsewhere their attacks failed.

EASTERN FRONT.

THE RUSSIANS.

"PROGRESS CONTINUES."

PETROGRAD OFFICIAL REPORT

PETROGRAD, June 14.

The Germans are not venturing to transfer reinforcements to the Galician front. Instead they are endeavouring to create a diversion north of the Pripet. They have had some local success in capturing the village of Kochany, but they are quite incapable of materially affecting events.

General Lechitsky's army has performed prodigies of valour. The precipitous banks of the Dniester were converted into one continuous stronghold. The Austrians regarded Dobronowce and the surrounding mountains, which are thickly covered with forests, as a reliable protection against an advance on Czernowitz (the capital of Bukovina), but General Lechitsky overcame all resistance.

General Brussiloff's capture of Demidovka places the Russians in command of an important forest region, forming a natural stronghold, of which the Ikwa and Styr may be compared to immense moats protecting two sides.

The position is thus a valuable base, and will enable General Brussiloff to checkmate the Austrian effort to counter the Russian offensive northward. The valiant 8th Army Corps, which advanced 20 miles in the direction of Kovel, will soon be in a position to assist the thrust of the troops beyond Tarnopol, and join them in advancing on Lemberg.

RUSSIAN COMMUNIQUE.

A Russian communique states: In view of the Austro-German troops having been, in many places, withdrawn out of reach of our blows, our armies have made little increase in the number of prisoners. To-day the total captures numbered 1700 officers and 114,000 men, of whom General Lechitsky captured 554 officers, 37,832 men, and 201 guns and machine guns. We crossed the Dniester, and captured many fortified points and are continually making progress.

TEMPORARY LULL.

Latest tidings from the southern front, received from Petrograd, indicate that there is a temporary lull.

BRUSSILOFF'S SCHEME.

The London "Daily Chronicle" says that General Brussiloff's scheme was so perfect that he was able to commence his offensive at two days' notice, even in that night more country comprised in the Polesie Forest marshes, where the army had been living on islands in channels of black water, while the advanced positions were practically rafts stranded on mud banks, and only approachable over log roads.

It is impossible to exaggerate, continues the "Daily Chronicle," the resource and ingenuity whereby General Brussiloff contrived to pour a dense attack over narrow paths, through man-drowning quagmires, and rush the Austrian positions with the single impetus to reach the rising ground, of which Lutsk is the centre. Along the Sereth, where there is more open country, the Belgian Armoured Car Corps did excellent service.

The population of Keiff are experiencing a renewal of the emotions of the early days of the war. The hilly, tree-lined paths are again blocked with long grey-blue columns of prisoners. The police do not allow demonstrations. The only outcries come from earlier Austrian prisoners, who are employed street-cleaning, and at similar work, and greet their former comrades with howls of derisive welcome. General Brussiloff has thus far captured thousands and thousands of Austrians and Germans, and 500 guns.

GERMAN REPORT.

A German communique says:—Our batteries annihilated a Russian cavalry brigade south-east of Dubina, on the Dwina.

WESTERN FRONT.

VERDUN.

CROWN PRINCE AGAIN.

FIERCE ATTACKS REPULSED.

CANADIANS RECOVER GROUND.

PARIS, June 12.

A semi-official message states that the German Crown Prince is again hurling his troops against the French regardless of the loss of lives. Monday's battle was hellish. The Germans failed to enlarge their salient westward of Fort Vaux. They next launched troops against Thiaumont, boring from there to penetrate the Fleury Ravine. There was a desperate day-long battle and a series of incessant assaults, each countered by gusts of fire, until the exhausted enemy abandoned the effort, our line remaining intact. No fewer than 30,000 bayonets participated in the assaults, which were decisively routed. The bombardment of our first and second lines was resumed immediately, showing a determination to continue the desperate attempt to reach Verdun from that side.

OFFICIAL REPORT.

A French communique says:—The enemy penetrated some advanced trenches east of Hill 321, which is west of Thiaumont Farm (midway between Douaumont and the Meuse). Elsewhere the attacks withered.

THE BRITISH LINE.

GERMANS CONCENTRATING.

The Amsterdam "Telegraaf" states that the Germans have concentrated 120,000 around Zonnebeke, Gheluvelt, and further south. They have thus reduced the garrisons in Belgium and, to a smaller extent, along the Western front.

The British heavy guns are constantly bombarding the enemy's positions at Hooge.

TRENCH RAIDING.

General Sir Douglas Haig says the Australians at Bois Grenier (near Armentieres) made a night raid on a trench and killed at least 12 Germans. They also captured six prisoners, and destroyed two trench mortars. Two Australians were slightly wounded.

THE CANADIANS.

General Sir Douglas Haig reports that the Canadians on Tuesday morning made gallant and successful assaults south-east of Zillebeke, their objective being their old positions, all of which they recaptured on a front of 1500 yards. They also inflicted heavy losses, and took 126 prisoners. We were subjected to heavy shelling for several hours after gaining the positions, but retained the ground, which we are consolidating.

GERMAN COMMUNIQUE.

A German communique says:—The enemy is making local attacks on our new positions from the heights south-east of Ypres.

"WELL DONE ANZACS."

BOIS GRENIER TRENCH RAID.

LONDON, June 13.

The Australian Natives' Association gave a luncheon at the Anzac Buffet to 60 participants in the Bois Grenier (near Armentieres) trench raid. The men belonged to Western Australia, Queensland, and Tasmania, and were specially selected from various units for the task. A large banner at the end of the dining-room bore the inscription, "Well done Anzacs—through danger to honour."

Lieutenant-Colonel P. N. Buckley, military representative of the Commonwealth in London, on behalf of Mr. Fisher (High Commissioner) welcomed the men, and expressed appreciation of the plucky achievement.

Colonel Burston briefly addressed the men, adding his tribute of praise.

The men were afterwards driven to the show places of London.

PARIS CONFERENCE.

SIXTY DELEGATES PRESENT.

PARIS, June 14.

Sixty delegates representing the allied Powers will meet in secret at 10 o'clock this morning at the Quai d'Orsay, under the presidency of M. Aristide Briand (Premier of France). After the early sittings members will break up into committees and draft reports on special questions to be submitted to the whole conference.

MR. HUGHES.

POST-WAR TRADE.

PARIS, June 13.

The Prime Minister of Australia (Mr. Hughes), in the course of an interview with a representative of the "Matin," was questioned concerning the prediction of some pessimists that within a decade German trade would be flourishing as well as ever.

Mr. Hughes replied indignantly that those entertaining such a thought were traitors. He added: "Whatever our business transactions with Germany they will be those we desire, and not those which Germany imposes. Her pre-war activity consisted not only of sending us products, but especially of disorganising our national industries and largely seizing the control of others. She acted as a vampire. It behoves us to break down her tyranny for ever."

ATTEMPTS TO DISPARAGE.

LONDON, June 14.

The "Times" states:—"Private correspondents, after intimate conversations with leading public men in France, write that they are bewildered by the persistent English attempts to disparage Mr. Hughes. The writers say they have been told that Mr. Hughes represents no one but himself—that the attention paid to him will offend the British Government—that the Marquis of Crewe and Mr. Bonar Law must be treated as the official British representatives, Mr. Hughes being only an outsider."

"Doubtless," the "Times" continues, "these suggestions emanate from sycophants and hangers-on, but the British Government should take an early opportunity to disown them."

The "Times" adds: "Mr. Hughes really occupies a higher position than any man in Imperial politics since Mr. Joseph Chamberlain. Englishmen and Australians alike are looking to Mr. Hughes to get things done."

THE ITALIANS.

BRILLIANT ASSAULTS.

FORTIFIED LINE TAKEN.

LONDON, June 13.

An Italian semi-official message says:—The situation on the Italian front has greatly improved during the past fortnight. There was some apprehension that the enemy might pierce our lines and reach the plains. The Italian policy in not attempting to stop the Austrian advance on unfavourable ground has proved entirely successful. It was expected the Austrians would take Asiago and Arsiero, but would be unable to make progress further. The enemy's slight advance on the wings has been completely stopped.

The position now is that the enemy is held all along the line. Mistakes have been remedied, and will not be repeated. There is no doubt the Russian advance will prove to be a most valuable aid. The transfer of Austrians from Italy to Galicia must prove to be a long and difficult matter.

The position of the Allies was never more hopeful after the British naval victory, the Austrian rout, and the appalling German losses on the western front.

OFFICIAL REPORT.

ROME, June 14.

A communique states: By brilliant assaults we captured a strongly-fortified line along the whole length of the Riormint, from Parmesan Height to the Lagarina Valley. The enemy were driven out of Molisini (about five miles south-west of Arsiero) and Anosina (on the Astico front).

TURKISH PORTS.

BOMBARDED BY ALLIES.

A Salonica message says the Allies have again bombarded Dede Agach (10 miles north-west of the mouth of the Maritsa) and Porto Lagos (38 miles north-west of Dede Agach).

GREECE.

DEMOBILISATION.

PRACTICALLY COMPLETE.

Greek official quarters in London announce that Greece is disbanding large numbers of reservists, in addition to the active classes already notified. The Greek Government is also giving leave of absence to the remainder of the actives. Thus demobilisation of the army is practically complete.

GERMAN U VESSEL.

SUNK BY BRITISH.

AMSTERDAM, June 14.

The newspapers state that a British monitor sank a German submarine during the recent action near Zeebrugge. The crew escaped, and were picked up by a German destroyer.

[It was officially announced on June 10 that a British patrol, consisting of monitors and destroyers, engaged German destroyers off Zeebrugge. The enemy vessels returned to port when the monitors took up the firing. We sustained no casualties or damage.]

NORTH SEA BATTLE.

VON TIRPITZ'S VIEWS.

ZURICH, June 13.

Admiral von Tirpitz, in an interview published in the "Neue Freie Presse," says:—"The North Sea battle speaks for itself. The enemy's severe defeat has destroyed the unjustified prestige of the British Fleet."

DUBLIN REVOLT.

THE BREWERY TRAGEDY.

VERDICT OF NOT GUILTY.

LONDON, June 13.

The court-martial at Dublin concluded the hearing of the case against Sergeant Robert Flood, of the Dublin Fusiliers, who was charged with murdering Lieutenant Lucas, of King Edward's Horse, and William Rice, an employee of Guinness's Brewery, on April 29.

Flood gave evidence that many circumstances combined to cause him to suspect Lucas and Rice. He fully believed treachery was afoot, and arrested Lucas and Rice. He believed then and now that the brewery would have been captured if he had not shot the prisoners.

Flood added that he did not believe the officer he shot was Lucas, but somebody impersonating him.

The Court returned a verdict of not guilty, and Sergeant Flood was released.

BELGIANS IN GERMANY.

FORCED TO JOIN ARMY.

It is officially stated that Germany is forcing Belgians who have been resident in Germany for three years to join the German army.

The Belgian Government has protested to the Allies and neutrals that this is a breach of the Hague Convention.

Spain has taken up the matter on behalf of the Belgians.

PAPAL DIPLOMATISTS.

STEAMER PURCHASED.

ROME, June 13.

The Pope, with the intention of safeguarding the Holy See's diplomatists from war risks, has bought the steamer Nuncius, which the Government will permit to use the harbour at Civita Vecchia (37 miles north-west of Rome). The vessel is painted white and yellow, and flies the Papal flag for the first time since the loss of temporal power. The vessel will convey the new Nuncio to Buenos Ayres.

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

LONDON, June 13.

The steamer Port Augusta has left London for Sydney.

KITCHENER.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

AN ENORMOUS GATHERING.

LONDON, June 13.

Despite heavy showers enormous crowds gathered at the western approaches to St. Paul's Cathedral two hours before the memorial service to the late Lord Kitchener began. Flags everywhere were flown at half-mast. The King and Queen drove from Buckingham Palace, Queen Alexandra joining them at Charing Cross. There was a large diplomatic assembly in the cathedral. The Army and Navy were fully represented. Nearly all the members of the Cabinet, with their wives, were present; also the Lord Mayor and aldermen. There were 4000 ticket-holders. Every available part of the cathedral was crowded. The early arrivals included many wounded Australians and New Zealanders, and nurses.

During the service the Liturgy of St. Chrysostom was sung to Kieff's Chant. The band of the Royal Engineers, of which Lord Kitchener was Colonel-Commandant, played the Dead March. The buglers of this regiment sounded "The Last Post."

Triumph was the keynote of the service, almost reaching a note of thanksgiving for the great man whose memory was being honoured. The King had called his people to him, and sat at their head beneath the dome between the Queen and the Queen Mother. The Ministers of State sat on his left-hand side, and representatives of the overseas Dominions on his right, with the Ambassadors of the Allies behind him, and a group of Royalties, the Grand Duke Michael being conspicuous. The congregation was dressed in sombre black and khaki, which was brightened by the red and blue gowns of the sheriffs and aldermen, and the brilliant uniforms of a few retired officers of the army, and a sprinkling of naval officers. A youthful naval commander, destined to bear his late uncle's great name, sat near the King.

The service opened with what is now known as Lord Kitchener's favourite hymn, "Abide With Me," and was followed in triumphant note by the reading of the 130th and 33rd Psalms, and the priest, standing at the altar steps, face to face with the Sovereign, read the lesson. At its close the organ together with the Engineers' Band and the drummers of the Irish Guards, played the Dead March. As the roll of the drums became audible the minds of the great congregation were transported to the North Sea, where the Master Engineer of campaigns and armies lay sleeping. This was the first note of lament, and it was sustained in sorrowful strains through St. Chrysostom's Liturgy, but its "Alleluia" resumed the note of triumph, and again in the final hymn, "For all the Saints who from their labours rest."

After "The Last Post" had been sounded the third verse of the National Anthem, sang fortissimo, with the full power of the band and the organ, closed the service.

AUSTRALIANS ABROAD.

QUESTION OF ENLISTMENT.

Mr. B. R. Wise (Agent-General for New South Wales) introduced a deputation of Australian natives to Mr. Fisher (High Commissioner for Australia), and urged the Commonwealth to permit bona fide Australians in England to join the Australian forces. He said that not only had combatants been debarred, but also doctors and nurses. The reasons for the restriction had not been made public. Even civil servants who had been sent to London from the various States were unable to join their own forces. It was a great waste of time to compel Australians to return to the Commonwealth to enlist.

Other speakers emphasised that many could not afford to return to Australia to enlist, and it created a distinction between the wealthy who could, and the poorer who could not, afford to pay their passages.

The deputation also desired that Australians who had enlisted in the British army should be allowed to transfer to the Australian force, a course which the Canadians pursued.

Mr. Fisher, in reply, sympathised with the views of the deputation and promised to submit the matter to the Government. He assured them that the attitude of Senator Pearce (Australian Minister for Defence) was in no way hostile to Australians residing abroad.

WAR NOTES.

ITALIANS' SUCCESSES.

The Rome communique this morning contains welcome news of the continuance of the Italian offensive in the Trentino, and it now certainly appears as if the tables are being turned on the hitherto victorious Austrians. Not only has the Austrian offensive been definitely stopped for the time being, but the Italians have taken the initiative, and are driving their opponents out of positions which they recently captured. Mollaini, one of the two places on the Astico front from which the Austrians are reported to have been driven by the Italians, is situated about five and a half miles to the south-west of Arsiero. This indicates that the Italians are bringing pressure to bear on the right wing of the Austrian front, which is by no means an extended one at the point where it juts out into Italian territory. If this confined front can be further narrowed down the possibility of the Austrians reaching the plains away to the south would be more hopeless than ever. The theory, mentioned in the semi-official Italian message, that the Austrian thrust would reach as far as Arsiero and Asiago, but no further, seems to have been substantiated, and the other Italian successes reported from the Lagarina Valley, between the river Adige and Lake Garda, are additional evidences of the stoppage of the Austrian offensive in the Trentino.

THE RUSSIANS.

The cables contain very little further news of importance regarding the Russian offensive in Galicia and Volhynia. The capture of Demidovka, it is said, gives General Brussiloff command of an important forest region forming a natural stronghold. Demidovka is in Volhynia, and lies almost due south of Lutsk, and about 17 miles east of Dubno. It is situated in the stretch of country drained by the rivers Styr and the Ikwa. The Styr passes to the west and the Ikwa to the east of Demidovka, and they junction at a point almost due north of it, constituting, as the cables state, two immense moats protecting it on both sides. Further north the Russians are reported to have advanced 30 miles towards Kovel, which is at the junction of the Brest-Litovsk and the Lublin railway lines. It is to be hoped that this force will be able to join up with those who have made the thrust lower down, and then advance on Lemberg. Lemberg, the capital of Galicia, is the centre of the rich oil fields there, which were set afire by the Russians when they evacuated the city in May, 1915. The attempt on the part of the Germans to create a diversion north of the Pripet marshes has not met with a wide measure of success, and the line of the Northern Russian armies remains much the same as it was when they held up the Germans after the long retreat. It leaves the south-west side of the Gulf of Riga and swings round to the east, taking a bend to the south-east along the river Dwina to Lake Drisviaty. From here it follows a southerly course through Smorgon and Lipsk towards Pinsk, in the Pripet marshes.

CANADIANS' SUCCESSFUL ASSAULTS.

The Ypres salient, that storm-centre in the British line on the western front, is again attracting attention, the Canadians having succeeded in recapturing the whole of the positions from which they had to retire on June 2. On that occasion their line, which was situated in one of the worst parts of the salient, was deluged with shells which seemed to come from all sides, and after holding out for some time they were ordered to fall back. Zillebeke, the scene of the Canadians' success, is situated about two miles to the south-east of Ypres, between the Ypres-Roulers and the Ypres-Lille railway lines. To the south-east of Zillebeke the ground takes a slight rise. The ridge thus formed actually stretches for a distance of about eight miles in a north-easterly direction from a point a little over a mile to the north of St. Eloi. It is very uneven in shape, and towards the south-east of Zillebeke it narrows down considerably between two small spurs. It is close to this narrow section of the ridge that the Canadians have apparently launched their assaults. This ridge has been of great assistance to the Germans in the recent fighting in the Ypres sector, owing to the commanding nature of the ground. It is therefore satisfactory to hear that the Canadians, in spite of heavy shelling by the enemy, are rapidly consolidating the ground gained.

AUSTRALIANS' SECOND RAID.

While the Canadians have been distinguishing themselves at Zillebeke, the Australians on their section of the line, twelve or thirteen miles further south, have again been giving proof of their special adaptability for work requiring dash and initiative. Their night raid on the German trenches, reported by General Sir Douglas Haig, was carried out on the scene of their former success on June 6. It is evident that those in charge recognise that the Australians are particularly suitable for these "cutting out" raids, which, although they do not result in the gaining of ground, have the effect of keeping the enemy in a state of uneasiness as to when and where the next blow will fall. Tact and initiative on the part of the individual are absolutely essential for work of this nature, and it also requires no small amount of courage to creep out of the trenches on a dark night and pick a way across No Man's Land, never knowing when the glare of an enemy searchlight will pierce the gloom. Such work as the Australians have just performed for the second time during the past week at Bois Grenier, a couple of miles below Armentieres, must be done silently and quickly. The object of such a raid is to get as much as possible from the enemy and to get back as speedily and safely as possible. The fact that the Australians accounted for twelve Germans, captured six others, and destroyed two trench mortars at a cost of only two slight casualties, proves that the trust reposed in them as effective raiders has not been misplaced.

REPORTED GERMAN CONCENTRATION.

If it be true, as the Amsterdam "Telegraaf" reports, that the Germans are denuding their garrisons in Belgium, and concentrating 120,000 men around Zonnebeke and Gheluvelt, we can expect to hear of a continuation, if not of an increase in severity, of the fighting around the disturbed Ypres salient. Zonnebeke lies about five miles east-north-east of Ypres, on the road leading towards Roulers. Gheluvelt is a similar distance south-east of Ypres, on the road to Menin. It is almost due south of Zonnebeke, and the three miles of country separating the two places are covered with woods. The spot would, therefore, make a suitable area for the concentration of troops, the trees providing an effective screen against observation by airmen. The two roads on which these places stand converge towards Ypres, and meet on the outskirts of the town. They both pass over the northern section of the same low ridge, close to which the Canadians made their successful assaults further south, near Zillebeke. About half-way along the road from Gheluvelt to Ypres lies Hooge, which has been the centre of a heavy bombardment for some time past. The country in the vicinity of the two places mentioned by the Amsterdam paper would, therefore, be most suitable for the concentration of enemy troops intended for use against the Ypres salient.

TORPEDOED.

FORTY-SEVEN MEN DROWNED.

The Zent, which left Liverpool (England) on April 4, was torpedoed before midnight of the next day, 28 miles south-west of the Fastnet. Two torpedoes were fired in rapid succession, the first tearing away the starboard side of the ship, the second exploding in the engine-room, and the ship sank at practically full-speed in less than two minutes. Eleven of the crew, including Captain Martin, were picked up after being over two hours in the water, by one of H.M. ships, which came up in answer to the S.O.S. call sent out by Mr. Proughton, the Marconi operator. Forty-seven of the crew were either killed or drowned.

The ship was in ballast, carried no arms, and received no warning, and five minutes' grace would have enabled the whole crew to escape.

MINE MISHAP.

EMPLOYEE'S NARROW ESCAPE.

KALGOORLIE, Wednesday.

On Tuesday afternoon Harry Cottingham, employed as a trucker on the Oroya Links mine, had a sensational experience. He was working at the 500ft level, and rang for the cage, which was at the lower level. When the cage reached the platform he noticed that the knocker wire, used for signalling to the engine driver, had become entangled around the top of the cage. He was endeavouring to disentangle the wire when a movement of the cage jerked the wire and caused the bell in the engine-room to ring once, which is the signal to hoist the cage. Immediately the cage began to ascend and Cottingham's legs were caught in the coil of the wire he had been trying to disentangle. He was hoisted 500ft up by the feet, with his head hanging downwards. The cage was hoisted about 40ft above the mouth of the shaft and Cottingham's cries attracted the attention of the men on the surface, who succeeded in releasing him. Cottingham escaped with a scalp wound and a few abrasions.

IN FRANCE.

AUSTRALIANS IN THE TRENCHES.

The following is a letter received by Mr. W. J. Young, of the Tramway Department, from his son, who is now in the trenches in France. The soldier was present at the evacuation of Gallipoli. Prior to enlisting he was employed at Lithgow. He celebrated his 19th birthday in the trenches at Gallipoli:—"This is a fine country, but rather cold and wet. We are in the trenches, and receiving special attention from the Huns, judging by the number of shells they send over our way, 200 being sometimes fired at one spot. These trenches are rat-infested—fellows as big as rabbits, who get up on the parapet to have a look at you, come into our dugouts, and make themselves at home, devouring all eatables procurable. The aeroplanes are very active, and some daring deeds are performed by them. One of them, known by the name of Mad Major, flies within 100ft of the German trenches. This so excites the Huns that they venture out of their trenches to have a pop at him. Our machine guns here take advantage of the opportunity presented, and good work is recorded. Old men and women can be seen here doing the ploughing, some of them quite close to the trenches, and well within shellfire. No young men are to be seen in the cities; all are at the front. We believe this war will be over before the end of this year, and all hope to spend Christmas in sunny Australia once more."

LATE WAR NEWS.

EASTERN FRONT.

RUSSIAN FORWARD MOVE

FALL OF CZERNOWITZ IMMINENT

LONDON, June 14.

The French newspaper "Echo de Paris" states that the Russians have captured Tortschin (north-west of Lutsk); also Snyatin (on the Pruth), the Russians enveloping the Austrian position south of Czernowitz by a daring manoeuvre.

Advices received in Zurich state that street fighting occurred in Czernowitz on Monday. The fall of the town is imminent.

Austrian reports confirm the precipitate Austrian retreat along the entire Bukovina front.

The latest reports from Petrograd state that the Russians have cut the Austrian railway communications north of Czernowitz. Heavy fighting is proceeding in the eastern and northern outskirts.

A small Russian detachment penetrated Roumania at Marmoritza by mistake. Russia apologised, and the troops were withdrawn.

It is estimated that the Austrian losses for the week in killed and wounded were 232,000. Ten per cent prisoners were Germans.

General Brussiloff, replying to congratulations, said he hoped to gain such a success as to utterly crush the enemy.

RECRUITING.

One hundred and twelve men offered their services at Victoria Barracks yesterday, and 84 were accepted.

Once again recruits were shy, and after an hour's work yesterday morning only five had offered at the Barracks. These included two men from the Fijian Government—one a wireless operator and the other a clerk. A farmer from the Hawkesbury, and a farm hand from Camden, with a baker from North Sydney, made up the five. Afterwards came also a bookbinder from the Government Printing Office, a grazier from Barraba, a plumber from the Y.M.C.A., an iron-dresser from the railways, and several clerks and station hands.

No. 11 Depot School for the training of N.C.O's. for the A.I.F. will commence at Victoria Barracks on July 4. As far as possible the candidates should be privates who are desirous of qualifying for non-commissioned rank. Acting N.C.Os. who have not had an opportunity of qualifying for their rank should be allowed to compete at the examination for nomination to this school. About 170 men are expected to attend.

The Embarkation Records Staff (Captain G. R. Richardson in charge) is now located at the Royal Agricultural Society's Grounds, Moore Park.

A special order has been issued by District Headquarters that children 16 years of age and under will not, in future, be allowed inside Victoria Barracks, Paddington, on any account whatever, unless accompanied by an adult.

The French officers at present staying in Sydney will visit Liverpool camp to-day.

At the meeting of the Liberal Debating Club last night, a presentation of a travelling bag was made to Mr. Walter Finch, prior to his departure for England, he having placed his services at the disposal of the authorities to assist in the manufacture of war munitions.

IN OTHER STATES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

In Victoria to-day 72 recruits were obtained. There were 109 volunteers.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

Forty recruits were accepted in Queensland to-day.

BOMB-THROWING.

The following officers and non-commissioned officers have passed the School of Instruction in entrenching and bomb-throwing, held at Liverpool Camp, from May 29 to June 2:—Capt. H. G. Hayman, 33rd Battalion; Lieutenants A. C. B. Pitzhardinge, 45th Battalion; J. D. Campbell, 56th Battalion; and F. H. J. McLeod, Goulburn Camp; 2nd-Lieutenants T. W. Horton, Cootamundra Camp; W. L. Agnew, 54th Battalion; L. W. Lane, 53rd Battalion; and A. G. Lees, 18th Battalion; Acting Quartermaster Sergeant-Major V. H. Chapman, 2nd Battalion; Acting Company Sergeant-Majors N. R. Richardson, 56th Battalion; and G. Wilkinson, 3rd Battalion; Acting Sergeants N. H. Cunningham, 1st Battalion; R. W. Beatham, 2nd Battalion; A. H. Dillon and G. H. Single, 4th Battalion; S. W. Pepper and S. S. Terry, 13th Battalion; F. Clarke and R. C. Chapple, 17th Battalion; K. B. Low and A. N. Minouge, 19th Battalion; M. H. Benjamin, 20th Battalion; A. H. Mapleston and D. W. Cahill, 30th Battalion; H. G. McLennan, 33rd Battalion; C. C. Deutcher, 35th Battalion; W. H. Liddle and F. J. Kingsbury, 36th Battalion; R. R. Mallard, 45th Battalion; H. P. Maxon, 53rd Battalion; N. N. Patman, 54th Battalion; E. H. West, 55th Battalion; and Acting Corporals B. Rogers, 1st Battalion; H. V. Denham, 13th Battalion; J. C. Goggin, 20th Battalion; and R. Dawson and C. W. Kerans, 53rd Battalion.

CAMP ABSENTEES.

"As a rule," remarked the State Commandant, Brigadier Ramaciotti, V.D., "the largest number of men absent without leave from the various camps in New South Wales occurs on Monday, the last day of the week-end leave. We have put up a record, though, this week, for, taking all the camps in the State into consideration, the number of men absent when they should have been on duty on last Monday morning was under 2½ per cent. Addison-road camp had not a single man absent when the roll was called; Liverpool had only 2¼ per cent absent; the Warren and Newcastle tied with under 1 per cent. of absentees; and the Agricultural Showground showed only ½ per cent. away. This is very gratifying, and we hope in the future to reduce the percentage to quite a negligible quantity."

PERSONATION.

EFFECT OF HIGH COURT JUDGMENT.

Spoken to last night in reference to the Chief Justice's remarks in connection with the High Court ouster appeal, arising out of the last city municipal elections, Mr. Holman said that, of course, such a statement from the Chief Justice could not go unheeded. "I have already invited the opinion of the Attorney-General," said the Premier, "and if necessary we will take steps to fill in the gaps in the law."

Mr. Black, Chief Secretary, whose department controls electoral affairs, was more discursive on the matter. It was to be regretted, he said, that the law was not definite enough to decide the question under such circumstances. It should be clearly stated that where an election may have been obtained by fraud in regard to personation, even if it cannot be proved that the personators voted for the successful candidate, it should be possible for some Court—either a Court of law or one appointed for the purpose—to go into the merits of the matter, and decide whether under all the circumstances the election was valid or not.

Mr. Black then went on to point out that the difficulty did not affect the State Parliament, because all disputes were there submitted to the Elections and Qualifications Committee, which was empowered to take evidence, examine ballot-papers, and decide all such issues on their merits. Any man who had reason to believe that the verdict had gone against him either improperly or mistakenly had the right of appeal to that body.

CHAPLAINS FOR THE TROOPS.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

In the course of his inaugural address at the Anglican Synod, Archbishop Donaldson said he had heard from the Chaplain-General that the Minister for Defence agrees to send three chaplains representing the Anglican, Roman Catholic, and non-episcopal Churches respectively on every troopship carrying over 1000 men, and also unsalaried chaplains when possible on horse transports having no salaried chaplains.

SIX O'CLOCK.

YESTERDAY'S FIGURES.

There were very few returns received at head office yesterday, and the additions to the various totals were insignificant. The figures, when the last count for the day was taken, were as follow:—

Six	.....	329,700
Seven	.....	5,067
Eight	.....	20,388
Nine	.....	169,998
Ten	.....	1,535
Eleven	.....	3,125

There are still a few returns to come, and the result of the absent votes will not be known for some days yet, as they have to be returned to the divisional returning officer in each electorate, and counted by him, before being forwarded to Sydney.

THE LIBERAL PROPOSAL.

MR. WADE'S EXPLANATION.

"Inquiries have been made of me to-day as to the exact scope of the referendum which appears in the announced provisional programme," Mr. Wade said yesterday. "This machinery is not intended to be a means of appeal to the people on all subjects of legislation, as is the case in Switzerland, nor is it meant to help a Government who wants to shirk its responsibility for legislation by remitting the issue to the people. Any Government with a majority behind it has the power to order a referendum if it so desires.

"My intention was to give the people a reserve power of action where a Government either refuses to act at all by legislation in response to public opinion, or refuses to remit the question to a referendum, or declines to face the people by a dissolution of Parliament. In short, it is meant to apply where the Government, by virtue of its majority in Parliament, deliberately flouts the manifest opinion of the public outside.

"The recent liquor agitation is a case in point. Had such a piece of machinery been in force last year, when the Government threw under the table the Liquor Bill because they would not accept anything less than 10 o'clock as the hour for closing, they would have been compelled to remit this without delay to the people for their judgment.

"Another instance is the notorious Norton Griffiths agreement. This proposal was rejected in the last Parliament, and the elections were fought on the assumption that any such agreement was dead; but in the early part of the new Parliament the Government accepted what they had previously repudiated, and trusted to their majority in the House to protect them against any unpleasant consequence. If that question had been sent to a referendum twelve months ago there is little doubt as to what the verdict of the people would have been. There may be extreme cases where it is desirable to even go further, and remit to the electors a bill that has passed through Parliament. That extreme step may, or may not, be necessary as time goes on, but I see no need to urge that at the present time.

"I am personally not favourable to the initiative from the experience of the American parliaments. So far as we know of this method in politics a certain percentage of the voters can demand that a bill which has been drawn up by them shall be submitted by Parliament to the body of electors for their approval or rejection. Such a bill may consist of a great number of clauses—some good, some highly objectionable—but the people must vote 'yes' for the whole measure, or 'no.' They have no power of amendment, and if the majority is favourable then Parliament is compelled to accept that and place it upon the statute book without the power of revision or amendment. This machinery has not worked well in the States of America; indeed, it has been productive of abuses, and can very easily be employed to harass and paralyse the work of the legislature."

REFERENDUM COMPARISONS.

Archdeacon Boyce writes:—The polling on Saturday was much heavier than at the last referendum, when there was no general election at the same time. It was taken on April 26 1911, and was the Commonwealth referendum as to the increase of legislative powers and as to monopolies. Then the total number of ballot-papers issued was 584,185, which is a long way below last Saturday's figures.

DEATH OF MR. S. E. LEES.

EX-LORD MAYOR OF SYDNEY.

Mr. Samuel Edward Lees, well known in the public life of N. S. Wales, died at his residence, Springwood, Roslyn-avenue, Potts Point, at a late hour last night. Death came rather suddenly as Mr. Lees was taken seriously ill only on Monday last.

The late Mr. Lees was born in Sydney in 1843. He was head of the printing and stationery business carried on in Sydney under his name for many years. Mr. Lees took an active interest in public matters. He was first elected to the Legislative Assembly for the Nepean in February, 1887, and sat continuously until July, 1895. He was again elected for the same electorate in 1898, and sat until 1901. Mr. Lees was appointed a member of the Legislative Council in 1895, and resigned in 1896. For over 30 years he was a member of the City Council, and was Mayor in 1895, and Lord Mayor in 1904. For over 20 years Mr. Lees was a member of the committee of Sydney Hospital, and he was the president of the Nepean Hospital from the date of its establishment.

Mrs. Lees survives her husband. Of their family, the only son, Captain Samuel Edward Lees is now serving at the front as a non-commissioned officer in the Australian Army Service Corps. There are four daughters, three of whom are married—Mrs. E. J. Wyatt, of Bondi (whose husband is also at the front), Mrs. Geo. Sinning, of Bondi, and Mrs. Reynolds, wife of Rev. R. D. Reynolds, of Woolahra.

ZEPPELINS OVER LONDON.

Mr. Cecil Barberie, who went to England to make ammunition, writes to his parents in Sydney as follows:—"I went up to London on Anzac Day, and the papers said here that it was the most stirring scene since Coronation day. We Australian engineers were admitted into the Westminster Abbey to hear the memorial service to the fallen Anzacs. The King, Queen, and Lord Kitchener were present, and the whole ceremony was one not to be missed. Hundreds could not get into the Abbey, while we all came up late, and were admitted by the aid of General Sir Newton Moore. Australians are popular in London. It was on the same night that I saw a Zeppelin. It was about the most interesting spectacle I have ever seen. I was just starting a letter when a gun was fired, followed by dozens of others. The Zeppelin was caught in the glare of a dozen searchlights, and looked just like a huge silver cigar. Anti-aircraft guns were blazing at it all round us, but the Zeppelin placidly ignored the bursting shells. A shell looks like a rocket when it bursts. The Zeppelin was just high enough to be out of range, and it remained still for about 10 minutes. When the shells were bursting a little closer the airship ascended in a rapid manner. It was lying horizontally, and to ascend it lifted its nose till the whole ship assumed a vertical position, and then rose quickly to the desired altitude, and then resumed its normal position. From what I heard of Zeppelins before I came over here I was under the idea that they were clumsy and useless, but I was never more mistaken. They can fly as fast as any aeroplane, turn, and ascend more quickly. If one comes while we are on night shift all the lights go out immediately."

NURSES FOR INDIA.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Minister of Defence (Senator Pearce) has received a cable message from the Viceroy of India, stating that the Government of India has accepted an offer made by the Commonwealth Government of the service of 50 Australian nurses for duty in India. The personnel will be selected from the number of Australian nurses now in Egypt, who are available for other duties, owing to the movement of troops, and to the closing of many of the Australian hospitals. The Commonwealth Government will continue to pay the nurses detailed for duty in India at the usual Australian rates.

WAR LOAN.

THE FEDERAL TREASURER'S APPEAL.

TO THE SMALL INVESTOR.

For the second issue of the war loan there were 15,040 applicants for sums ranging from £10 to £100. The Treasurer is appealing for more small investors to take up stock or bonds in the third issue. He especially appeals to the 758,399 persons, who, according to the recent war census, receive from £100 up to £1000 per annum.

A scheme has been prepared whereby in place of the amount applied for being paid in five increasing instalments, the small man may take up portions of the loan from £10 upwards by paying monthly instalments of 10 per cent. Thus the payments will extend over a period of 10 months, and it is pointed out that for every payment of 5/ a week during 40 weeks a £10 bond will be issued with payment of a full year's interest at the rate of 4½ per cent., made on June 30, 1917. Thereafter payment of interest would be made half-yearly to the date of the redemption of the loan in 1925.

The Treasurer, in his personal appeal, proceeds, "Many will be able to save more than £10. Some could save £100 each, or perhaps a larger sum. I make no apology for asking every one who can to save. It is war time, and a man or woman who voluntarily spends all he or she earns is guilty of egregious folly, if not of wickedness. The only way to save money is not to spend it. While there are thousands who must devote all they earn to sustaining their families, there are still hundreds of thousands who could save at least £10 during the coming year. Who will deny that out of the 758,000 persons who receive £100 and up to £1000 per annum there must be three or four hundred thousand persons who can invest from £10 to £100 without causing any discomfort to themselves or to those who belong to them. It is the paramount duty of all who cannot go to the front to furnish the money to maintain the gallant men who do go to the war, as well as to support their wives, families

MILK PRICES.

SUPPLIERS' RATES INCREASED.

The following rates for milk have been fixed by the Necessary Commodities Control Commission, the revised prices to become operative to-morrow:—

County of Cumberland: Sold to retail customers, at the rate of 6d per quart—sold in quantities of one gallon and upwards for resale, 1/7½ per gallon, not for re-sale, 1/8 per gallon. Distributing companies' price to vendors, 1/3⅜ per gallon. Suppliers' price to companies distributing in the County of Cumberland, 1/ per gallon.

Within five miles of the Newcastle Post-office: Sold to retail customers at the rate of 5½d per quart. Sold in quantities of a gallon and upwards, 1/6 a gallon. Companies' price to vendors, 1/0½ a gallon. Suppliers' price, 1/ per gallon.

In an accompanying report, the commission states that the evidence given by representatives of all sections of the milk industry went to show that in the Camden, Picton, and Singleton districts, farmers were compelled, owing to the unfavourable season, to hand-feed their stock much earlier and on a more extensive scale than in previous years. In some cases hand-feeding had been continuous since January, and there was every likelihood of the practice having to be continued for the next two months. Notwithstanding this hand-feeding, however, the milk production was below the average for this period, and while such conditions prevailed the commission was of opinion that producers should be encouraged by being granted an increase of one penny per gallon. In connection with the prices charged by companies distributing within the County of Cumberland, it was considered that the margin of 1/1 per gallon between the buying price and 11d and the selling price of 2s was too wide, and should be reduced by at least one penny, and adjustments made in the wholesale and vendors' rates.

The position in the Newcastle district, the report stated, was not so serious. In view of the general fall in production, however, the commission was of opinion that a uniform price for producers should be fixed throughout the State.

WOOL SALES.

EXCEPTIONAL RECORDS.

CLOSE OF THE SEASON.

Auction sales of wool in the Sydney market for the 1915-16 statistical year closed yesterday, and the last catalogue for the season made record sales for greasy merino and scoured merino wool. There were four catalogues submitted in the Royal Exchange yesterday; and the market ruled at the best rates of the week for all good wools, with a further tendency in growers' favour.

The record in the Sydney market for greasy merino was made yesterday by 12 bales AA com of the HM over Willungra brand from Wartaida; the wool being of good quality, in attractive condition, free, and well grown; realising 23d per lb. The scoured merino record was made by the ADA over Willoughby brand, from Barcaldine, Queensland; the wool being bulky, of good staple, and quality, in dry condition, 18 bales AA e quality realising 41½d per lb, 9 bales 41d, and 10 bales 40d. The greasy merino record is 3½d higher than was paid in 1914-15 (1909-1910), and the scoured merino record 10½d higher.

Auctions will be continued in the Royal Exchange to-day and to-morrow; but they will be of Queensland wools, consigned to the Brisbane market for realisation, and now sold in Sydney for the convenience of buyers who attended in Brisbane, but were unable to operate at that time owing to the postponement of the sales through the embargo on export at that time to all but British ports. Large lot catalogues will commence at 10 a.m., and star lots one hour earlier. Sydney auctioneers will wield the hammer for all the Brisbane firms of selling brokers.

PRICE OF FLOUR.

COMMONWEALTH BOARD.

The Commonwealth Prices Adjustment Board yesterday, at the General Post Office, continued its inquiry concerning flour. Mr. J. H. Catts presided; the other members of the board are Senator Barnes, Messrs. Yates, M.P. (S.A.), Sinclair, M.P. (Q.), and W. M. Fleming, M.P. (N.S.W.).

Mr. F. A. Crago (Messrs. Crago and Sons), who has mills at Newtown, Bathurst, and Wyalong, continued his evidence. The capacity of his mills was 120 tons a week, and last year's output was 18,500 tons. He pointed out that expenses had gone up. Wages were 1s a ton dearer than last year. The Commodities Commission had given the millers an extra 1s because of the rise in wages. Witness heard there was to be a further application for another rise. Coal was 17s 6d a ton now, as against 15s 6d last year. Insurance was also higher.

From the reported evidence of the board's inquiry at Brisbane, Mr. Crago considered that statements had been made injurious to New South Wales interests.

The chairman: In what respect?

Witness: That we were enjoying a rebate. After 16 years' business with Brisbane, Sydney millers were nearly knocked out because Brisbane millers were undercutting them with wheat secured in New South Wales. Sydney had the expenses of freight, wharf and barbour charges, and cartage. The Brisbane men had their own boat, which shipped wheat from Darling Island to the mills which were right on the wharfs; cartage and the other expenses were thus saved. Queensland never had a surplus of wheat over its own requirements. New South Wales wheat was better than the northern State's product because it contained more gluten. The millers here, except in a small way, were all members of the wheat pool.

Mr. Sinclair asked if witness could explain Mr. Rossell's statement that if no prices were fixed, the public would get cheaper flour.

Witness: Possibly he meant that the keenness of competition amongst themselves would lower prices.

Mr. Sinclair said it was rather dangerous evidence. Perhaps Mr. Rossell might explain his statement on Thursday.

Senator Barnes: Does your association fix a selling price for flour?

Witness: No; the Necessary Commodities Commission has done that. The association met in its own interests the same as any other company.

The chairman: No justification for the association is necessary.

Witness, continuing, said that competition amongst the millers narrowed down many seeming inequalities.

George Albert Montague Nankervis stated that he was a director of the Tamworth Milling Company, but not a practical miller. The mill's capacity was five sacks an hour, one shift; and the yearly output 1584 tons. He submitted his company's audited balance-sheet. „Tamworth was a big wheat centre. There wheat was 4s 4½d a bushel; flour on the actual cost was 19s a ton less than at Sydney, where wheat was 4s 9d a bushel. The Minister for Agriculture had requested millers to run their mills as full as possible on account of military orders. As these were not likely to prefer not to mention the gentleman's forthcoming the mills had to slow down to name—is that of a man receiving 15/ week one shift. The output the last half-year was pension for a wife, six children, and himself 1091 tons of flour. to live on. He has lost his left eye, is

Witness said that the local trade was small, and that most of the Tamworth flour was sold in Sydney.

Mr. Sinclair: You don't expect us to fix the price of flour the same at Tamworth, where wheat is 4s 4½d, as at Sydney, where it is 4½d dearer?

To Senator Barnes: A fair average profit was 2½ per cent. Witness's company paid a 16 per cent. dividend.

Two other witnesses were examined in camera. The inquiry was adjourned till to-day.

AUSTRALIANS IN LONDON.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Minister of Defence (Senator Pearce) stated to-day that he has received a report from the High Commissioner's office, London, regarding the care of sick and wounded Australians in London hospitals. 3230 N.C.Os. and men of the A.I.F. have been supplied with comforts and necessities in the various metropolitan hospitals.

CHARGE OF SHOOTING.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

As an outcome of the shooting affray at Ironbark, Bendigo, on May 15, Adrian Arthur Percy Lakeman, aged 21 years, pastrycook, was charged at the Bendigo Court with shooting his stepfather, Arthur James Main, with intent to murder. Main said he had only a hazy recollection of what occurred, as he was mad with drink. Evidence was given by several witnesses that the shots were fired by Lakeman in defence of his mother. Accused was discharged.

TRAFFIC PROBLEMS

SOUTH-WEST SUBURBS.

"TWO PRACTICAL SCHEMES."

The inadequacy of the roads between the city of Sydney and the south-western suburbs was emphasised by a large deputation which yesterday waited upon Mr. Fitzgerald, who is the Minister temporarily in charge of local government affairs. The deputation represented the municipalities of Redfern, Waterloo, Alexandria, Botany, Hurstville, Mascot, Rockdale, St. Peters, Kogarah, and the shire of Sutherland, and it was introduced by Mr. M'Gowen (Redfern).

The deputation described the great and dangerous congestion on the one main road leading to these suburbs, and placed before the Minister two schemes which had been devised with a view to improving the situations. The first, known as Alderman Leitch's scheme, proposed a road running along Elizabeth-street through Waterloo, Alexandria, and Mascot direct to Cook's River, and connecting with the Illawarra suburbs by a bridge over the river, near the Ascot racecourse, and a road along the beach to Brighton. This would be practically a direct road to the South Coast, saving travellers a wide detour. The other scheme, presented by Mr. John Sulman and Mr. W. Scott Griffiths, on behalf of the Town-planning Association, proposed another road, leaving Elizabeth-street at M'Evoy-street, and going via Euston-road through Alexandria and St. Peters, crossing Cook's River by a bridge near the Bonnie Doon golf links and running through to West Botany-street, in Rockdale. The latter road would be parallel with Alderman Leitch's road, but near the Illawarra railway. It was claimed on behalf of Alderman Leitch's road that it would give access to large areas of Crown land. They were supplementary, not rival, schemes, and both were urgently wanted.

The various speakers said that it was not sought to embarrass the Government by a demand for money in war-time. What was asked at present was recognition of the claims of the south-western suburbs and an Act fixing the alignment of the roads 150 feet wide, so that, when the work was undertaken after the war, the Government would not have to pay for improvements made by private persons in the meantime on the proposed routes. It was suggested that the congestion might be immediately relieved by the construction of that part of Alderman Leitch's road from Brighton to Cook's River, and that a punt, now available in George's River, be used to convey the traffic across Cook's River.

The Minister said that both of these very practical proposals would be placed before the Cabinet with a favourable recommendation. Alderman Leitch's scheme was already known to him, and favoured on account of its utility. its proposals for better housing, communication, recreation, and distribution of traffic and its cheapness. Mr. Scott Griffiths's scheme, which was new to him, seemed to have all these points, and also to provide an opportunity of doing some town-planning ahead of coming legislation. The provision of adequate communication had not kept pace with the expansion of the city, and this was now causing great inconvenience and expense. He thought that the two schemes, if given effect to, would result in a saving of from £50,000 to £100,000 a year. He hoped to see work commenced on Alderman Leitch's scheme within a very short time.

Deputations, representing respectively Petersham, Newtown, and Bankstown, asked for the passage of bills permitting the closing of a small street so as to allow the extension of Liberty-street into Kingston-road, Newtown, and giving the Bankstown Council power to do as it thinks best with a piece of land left over from an area recently acquired in order to construct a 66ft. thoroughfare.

The Minister promised that bills would be prepared accordingly.

RETURNED SOLDIERS.

ALLEGED UNEMPLOYMENT.

STATE WAR COUNCIL'S WORK.

Statements which have been published in regard to alleged neglect in providing employment for returned soldiers were considered yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the employment committee of the State War Council. Mr. Holme (Under-Secretary for Labour and Industry) presided, and the other members of the committee who attended were Mr. Turner (president of the Master Builders' Association), Mr. Allen (secretary Pastoralists' Union), Mr. William Brooks (president of the Employers' Federation and acting president of the Returned Soldiers' Association), Mr. Gilbert, secretary of the State War Council and the Returned Soldiers' Employment Bureau, was also present.

It was shown, we are informed, that the statements as to the large number of unemployed soldiers were incompatible with the records of the Employment Bureau.

The sub-committee, while relying mainly upon employers throughout the State to solve the problem of employment for returned soldiers, decided to keep in touch with the returned men, even after they have been placed in positions through the Employment Bureau. With a view to enlarging the sphere of the operations of the Employment Bureau the recommendations of the committee are to be placed before the State War Council at its next meeting, which, it was stated, will be held as soon as the Premier fixes the date.

MR. BATHURST'S ALLEGATIONS

The organising secretary to the Returned Soldiers' Association of New South Wales (Mr. T. L. Bathurst), yesterday referred to the War Council's denial of the correctness of a paragraph which he dictated to a representative of the "Herald" concerning a meeting of unemployed returned soldiers. He said: "In your issue of June 10 there appeared a denial by the secretary of the State War Council of a paragraph I furnished of a meeting held at our rooms on Thursday, June 8, regarding the unemployment of returned soldiers. I wish to state that I can produce at least the stated number (500) of returned soldiers out of employment within the next two or three days. I only took the matter up on Saturday morning, and at the present time I have the names and addresses and the employment required of just on 200 men. Mr. Gilbert implies that there was no meeting of unemployed men on that date, and that he received his information from one individual found justified. There is also a fair amount of acute distress. One case in particular—in which I am in the Mallee, some distance from Swan Hill, on Monday. Murr, who will be charged with having broken his parole, had been charged with a similar offence at Moama. He was traced to the Swan Hill district, and the police had been on the lookout for him. When they had arrested Murr the police searched a tent, where they discovered a rifle and a number of cartridges.

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CATHEDRAL-STREET.

LAND BOARD'S INQUIRY.

The Metropolitan Land Board took further evidence yesterday on the proposal to close the top end of Cathedral-street for the purpose of providing an approach to St. Mary's Cathedral. Mr. Pike, instructed by the City Solicitor, appeared for the City Council; and Mr. Broughton, Metropolitan District Surveyor, watched the case on behalf of the Minister for Lands.

Francis Henry Corcoran, carter, stated that with a three-horse team he could take 3½ tons of coal up Anzac-avenue without any trouble. He never used Cathedral-street, because he had seen other carters having to put on a leader there.

James Collins, master carrier, said that he did not use Cathedral-street; whether Anzac-avenue was wood-blocked or not, he would not use Cathedral-street.

Alfred Edward, Superintendent of Police, in charge of traffic, said he considered Anzac-avenue the best route both for grade and convenience. For vehicle purposes he considered Cathedral-street absolutely unnecessary, but thought a footpath should be retained for pedestrian purposes.

The chairman: If Cathedral street was wood blocked it would be a good road for traffic, would it not?

Witness: It would be a most dangerous road for heavy vehicles.

Richard Seymour, Chief Inspector in the City Surveyor's Department, put in returns of traffic up Cathedral-street on certain days in March, 1915.

Robert Hargrave Broderick, City Building Surveyor, who had been called at the request of certain objectors, was questioned by Mr. Hewson with regard to plans for the new entrance and approach to the cathedral.

The witness declined to express an opinion off-hand on an alternative scheme, suggested by Mr. W. Martin, for an approach to the cathedral by means of deviation instead of closing the street.

The board adjourned till this morning.

POLICE INSPECTOR'S DEATH.

ADVENTUROUS CAREER.

Sub-Inspector Miles Blake Burns died at his residence, Orama, Child-street, Lidcombe, on Tuesday.

Born in Ireland 76 years ago, deceased joined the New South Wales police force in 1862. In '66 he was senior constable, four years later he was sergeant, and in '85 sub-inspector.

Sub-Inspector Burns, when sergeant in '...ank, took part in the suppression of the Thurston-Angel gang. These two notorious bushrangers, who had previously murdered Constable Mitchell, a lockup keeper, and then escaped from custody, were known to be about to hold up Stewart's Store, near Gulgong, on April 11, 1868. Two constables, one of whom was the late Mr. Day, Inspector-General of Police, besides Sergeant Burns, disposed themselves about the store in readiness for the bushrangers' arrival. Mr. Stewart, the storekeeper, opened the door when they arrived but catching sight of the police, the bushrangers shot him dead. The police opened fire, and Thurston was shot dead, and his companion fatally wounded.

Possibly the finest of the inspector's achievements was his capture of a notorious Chinese who had killed Senior-constable Ward at Coonabarabran. The murderer was executed, and then it was learned from his countrymen that he had a terrible vendetta to carry on against Mr. Norris, Expeditionary Paymaster, Victoria Barracks.

"S.M.C." (Cootamundra).—We are not allowed to publish these, or any others.

"M.G.L."—A lieutenant on embarkation draws 17s 6d (9 days). Included in which is 8s a day deferred pay, so that the actual amount is only 14s 6d per day. Added to this, however, is 6s 6d a day field allowance, making a total in cash of 18s per day.

"A.B.C." (Burwood).—(1) If you have any knowledge of engineering apply to the Officer Commanding Engineers' Depot, Park-road, Moore Park. (2) There are vacancies in that corps.

"Rex" (Paddington).—(1) You cannot enlist in that corps or any other particular one. You must enlist for general service only. (2) That is for the military doctor who examines you to say. We cannot pass a medical opinion, not knowing the fullest particulars. (3) You can always obtain reasonable leave. (4) Whether you would have to undergo an operation or not is for the doctors to decide.

"A.M." (Roselle).—A colour-sergeant draws 19s a day, 2s of which is deferred; a sergeant draws 16s 6d a day, 2s of which is deferred. Send it through the Commonwealth Bank of Australia if you wish to be certain he gets it.

"Housewife" (Pyrmont).—If you hold the receipt for last week's rent, the landlord cannot force you to pay twice. If you do not hold the receipt, you have no redress. As to that your husband is a soldier in full pay, help, we are afraid, unless you are quite destitute, and then you could appeal to the Lord Mayor's Fund, or the Town Hall.

"A.J.Y." (Pyrmble).—You could have got a rejection certificate on any one of the occasions you speak of. You should see the enrolling officer, Victoria Barracks. You could not join the association until you hold the rejection certificate.

"N.S.S." (North Sydney).—1. He is not allowed to embark before that age, and this must appear in writing on the parents' consent, or he will not be considered as a recruit. 2. He can do all that in his paybook as soon as he is sworn in and goes in camp.

"A.G.N."—The conditions are that you pay all your own expenses, travelling, etc., but it is no use going until you are 18½. That is the minimum age limit, and if you do not succeed in obtaining a commission in England, you must go into the forces in whatever rank you are considered fit for.

"R.S." (Wentworth Falls).—Martin-place, Sydney.

BUILDING TRADE.

EXTENSION OF STRIKE FEARED.

HOBART (Tas.), Wednesday.

The efforts made in connection with the dispute in the building trade to bring out all the building trade employees are said to be meeting with some success. A number of skilled workers are enrolling themselves as members of the Builders Labourers' Federation.

At a meeting of the United Labourers' Union it was decided to amalgamate with the builders' labourers' organisation.

GERMAN BREAKS PAROLE.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Constables Considine and Hellings arrested a young German, named Frank Murr, 24 years of age, in the Mallee, some distance from Swan Hill, on Monday. Murr, who will be charged with having broken his parole, had been charged with a similar offence at Moama. He was traced to the Swan Hill district, and the police had been on the lookout for him. When they had arrested Murr the police searched a tent, where they discovered a rifle and a number of cartridges.

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RAILWAY WORKERS' ASSOCIATION.

REGISTRATION CANCELLED.

Mr. Justice Heydon yesterday delivered judgment in the case in which the Railway and Tramway Construction Branch of the Field Staff Association of New South Wales applied for cancellation of the registration of the Railway Workers and General Labourers' Association.

His Honor, referring to the opposition of the Railway Workers' Association to the formation of the F. S. Association and its subsequent actions after registration had been granted, said the motive apparently was to keep the gangers in the R. W. Association. "The law is," said his Honor, "that a man who has joined a lawful union of his trade is a unionist, and cannot be quarrelled with if he joins no other. The ganger might belong to either of two unions, but the railway workers decided apparently that they must join the R. W. Association, or none of the members would remain in his gang."

His Honor went on to refer to a number of stoppages that had occured in various parts of the State over the question of gangers refusing to join the R. W. Association. "It was such that he was not afraid of comparison. The boys in years to come would reflect credit on the old historic school, and in parting from them he would carry away with him a wealth of vivid memories and keen friendships. He also wished to express his gratitude to the parents for the trust they had reposed in him, and to the staff for their loyal work.

Archbishop Wright, in referring to the report, said he had listened with pleasure and profit to the report, and what appealed to him was the reference to the type of boy turned out at the King's School—a true gentleman in all its glorious meaning. That was shown by the number of old boys who had taken their place in the firing-line. The great war had revolutionised many of the great schools of England. The school hero of to-day was different to that of two years ago, when cricket and football prowess was applauded. Now the tone of thought was changed, and the school hero was the one who showed the greatest promise of military efficiency, and he knew that some were doing that in the King's School.

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PRIVATE J. HILTON.

LITHGOW, Wednesday.

Private Joseph Hilton, son of Mrs. C. Hilton, of Hassan's Walls-road, is reported to have been killed in action on May 19. The deceased soldier was about 27 years of age, and enlisted in the early stages of the war from Sydney.

WATER POLICE COURT.

Francis Hammond and Alfred George Lake were proceeded against at the Water Police Court yesterday for having in their possession a writing resembling an Australian £5 note without the authority of the Commonwealth Treasurer.

Mr. Barbaste appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. J. W. Abigail for the defendant Hammond. Lake conducted his own case. Both pleaded not guilty.

The accused were convicted, and fined £50 and 4/6 costs each, in default four months' hard labour.

AMUSEMENTS.

MISS BERYL STARLING'S RECITAL.

Miss Beryl Starling made her reappearance since her stay in Europe, where she studied latterly in London under Tobias Matthay, at St. James's Hall last night. Her concert was in aid of the Y.M.C.A. Field Service Fund, and in spite of the rain, attracted a considerable audience.

The young pianist opened with Bach's "Prelude and Fugue in C minor," in which, and to a less degree in Liszt's "Consolations" (No. 2 and No. 6), she was at a grave disadvantage through an omission to raise the top of the grand piano. As it happens, the soloist's charm consists in the refinement of her reading without any marked display of power, so that, under the conditions indicated, her effects were too much in a miniature style. Miss Starling's sympathy with the Liszt pieces, and more especially her treatment of the second, where phrases of the melody are repeatedly divided by richly harmonised chords for both hands, none the less won the audience; and the enthusiasm led to the addition of the Rachmaninoff "Prelude."

Later the pianist rendered with charm a beautiful impromptu by Walter Meerveren. The tragic end of this young Scottish composer should be quoted as a warning to all students in the British Empire to avoid German schools of music henceforth and for ever. Leaving the Leipsic Conservatorium with an English and Scottish without a passport, they were both stood on against the wall of a wayside station, and shot by the brutal Huns.

One of Miss Starling's best efforts was her rendering of Debussy's "Golliwog's Cake Walk," in which her technique was neat, and later she won cordial applause and plentiful gifts of flowers, in pieces by Chopin, Schumann, and other composers. A capital entertainment was completed by the assistance of Miss Geraldine Ward, Mr. Cyril Monk, and Mr. Harry Thomas, with Mr. G. Vern Barnett as accompanist, and extra numbers became the order of the evening.

FRENCH RECITAL.

The pupils of the Sydney and North Sydney Girls' High Schools gave an interesting recital of various French sketches, under the direction of Mrs. Gavigin and Miss Grossman, at St. James's Hall yesterday. The programme contained interesting excerpts from Moliere's "Les Femmes Savantes," Maeterlinck's "Blue Bird," and other pieces. The hall was packed to the doors.

KING'S SCHOOL.

HEADMASTER'S FAREWELL.

The annual prize-giving in connection with the King's School took place on Wednesday afternoon. The Archbishop of Sydney (chairman of the King's School council) presided, and amongst those present were Mr. Justice Pring, Judge Docker, the Rev. C. J. Prescott (principal of Newington College), the Rev. W. J. Cakebread, Messrs. A. J. E. Perry (hon. secretary of council), G. Ash, S. Boydell, and others.

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Archbishop Wright, in referring to the report, said he had listened with pleasure and profit to the report, and what appealed to him was the reference to the type of boy turned out at the King's School—a true gentleman in all its glorious meaning. That was shown by the number of old boys who had taken their place in the firing-line. The great war had revolutionised many of the great schools of England. The school hero of to-day was different to that of two years ago, when cricket and football prowess was applauded. Now the tone of thought was changed, and the school hero was the one who showed the greatest promise of military efficiency, and he knew that some were doing that in the King's School.

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"S.B." (William-street).—The address is correct, with the exception that you should not now put the name of any country in it.

"Perplexed" (Gladesville).—The military here have not yet started to deal with the conscientious objectors (on religious grounds), and, therefore, the information that recruits can only enlist for general service is not at variance with Mr. Morrish's statement, as the conscientious objector is not a recruit in the ordinary meaning of the word. The Government has power, however, to compel any objector from religious scruples to serve in any non-combatant portion of the army. At the present time these non-combatant portions of the forces are up to strength, and recruits for them are not required until further notice.

"Lancer" (Pennhurst).—When you are allotted to your unit in camp, inform your O.C., through the proper channel of your qualifications. The best method to address a letter to the officer would be: Victoria Barracks, Paddington, and put "Please forward," in the top left-hand corner of the envelope.

"L.R." (Croydon).—No one can make a claim on your husband's allotment to you. Take no notice of such letters, and if the writer continues to worry you, report him to your husband's commanding officer at once. If the tenant you speak of was a single man, your husband can claim on him by applying to his commanding officer for as much a day, to be paid to you until the debt is wiped off. If he is a married man you can do nothing, any more than the solicitor you mention can get an order against your husband's allotment. If you have further trouble, send the full facts to Mr. Norris, Expeditionary Paymaster, Victoria Barracks.

"S.M.C." (Cootamundra).—We are not allowed to publish these, or any others.

"M.G.L."—A lieutenant on embarkation draws 17s 6d (9 days). Included in which is 8s a day deferred pay, so that the actual amount is only 14s 6d per day. Added to this, however, is 6s 6d a day field allowance, making a total in cash of 18s per day.

"A.B.C." (Burwood).—(1) If you have any knowledge of engineering apply to the Officer Commanding Engineers' Depot, Park-road, Moore Park. (2) There are vacancies in that corps.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

Activity prevailed throughout yesterday, and a large volume of business was recorded at solid rates.

The variations in values were as follow:—

RISE.

Gt. Boulder (Aust.)	5/	Com. Bank Sydney	3/
Perseverance	3	Balmain N. Ferry	/6
A.J.C. Shares	1/	Goodlet and Smith	/6
Hume, Philp	2		
Do., 4 p.c.	10		
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STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales were reported:—Morning: Bank of New South Wales, £35/5/; ditto, rights, £14/10/; Goodlet and Smith, 17/; Australian Wood Pipes, 15/; Colonial Sugar (Fiji), £21/15/; Illawarra Steam, 15/3; Paul and Gray, 35/.

Noon: Australian Bank of Commerce shares, £9; British Tobacco (ord.), 35/; Richardson and Wrench, 20/6

Afternoon: Aus. Wood Pipes, 15/; Bal. N. Gas, 14/; Aus. Gas, 4 p.c. deb., 1922, £90/10/; Bank Sydney, £22/10/; Bank N.S. Wales, rights, £14/10/; Bank N.S. Wales, rights, £14/10/; Tooth (pref.), 22/; I.O.A., 9/; Burns, Philp, 25/9; A.B.C. shares, 12/3; Sydney Ferries (new), 11/3; Col. Sugar (Aust.), £9/15/; Col. Sugar (Fiji), £21/15/.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Today's sales were: Royal Bank, 22/9; Goldsborough, Mort, 2/6; Hubbert Parker (pref.), 10/; I.O.A. (5 paid), 5/10; Melbourne Trams, 15/9, 13/6; Dunlop, 22/; Perry Rubber, 29/.

FINANCIAL.

TREBLE INCOME TAX.

WITHDRAWAL OF CAPITAL.

The British taxpayer who has investments in Australia has now to pay a triple income tax—British, Federal, and State. The Federal tax is purely a war tax. The British tax has been largely increased to provide funds for war. The increase in the New South Wales tax, called a super tax, has been framed with the war as an excuse. It is not right for a British resident to pay twice to the Government which protects him from another tax to the Government which protects his property. At least it is arguable. No one cannot see the justice of paying three times to support the one war while a man with just as much income, but with his income derived from only one part of that country, pays one war tax. Thus, on a total income of £3000, a man pays three taxes totalling £1 in the £ if he is a resident of Great Britain, deriving all his income from New South Wales. With an exceptionally high income derived wholly from New South Wales, while he is still a resident of the United Kingdom, he would be called upon to pay three income taxes, amounting in all to 20s. in the £. Of course this is an extreme case. But even most residents of Great Britain, with income derived from outside Great Britain, and also income derived in Great Britain, and that they would pay the triple tax. It would be only on a portion of their income as a result of this heavy taxation and withdrawal already been a noticeable withdrawal of capital from Australia, and instructions have been given for the further realisation of property held here as soon as possible, and the remission of the money to Great Britain for investment, either there or in some quarter where war taxes are not known. There is no end to the triple taxation in case of estates passing by death. Where the estate is wholly within New South Wales, and the owner resident in England, the death duties vary from 26¾ per cent. in the case of an estate of £50,000 to 40 per cent. the maximum of 50 per cent. That has also had an effect in bringing about the withdrawal of capital. The remedy which finds favour is that there should be one income tax, and where an estate is distributed over the Dominions and the mother land, the Governments in the Dominions should share in proportion to the amount of income derived in its domain. The plan is satisfactory to the taxpayer, but not to the finance ministers who, if it is carried out, will probably be compelled to increase the rate of war taxation on incomes wherever derived. Should such increased taxation is imposed on incomes derived in Australia, whether the recipient be domiciled in Australia or not; similarly, State taxation is imposed on all incomes derived in the State wherever the recipient be domiciled. The subject of triple taxation is likely to be brought before Mr. M'Kenna, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, as it had been brought before previous Chancellors. In the course of his budget speech he said he did not relieve these multiple taxpayers of the burden which they then suffered, but, under the British income tax the British income tax is levied at 1/6 in the £, that increase would not be levied on incomes derived from other parts of the Empire where income tax is levied. The subject was one, he said, which would have to be dealt with when the Imperial Parliament reconsidered the income tax laws.

THE WAR LOAN.

FOR SMALL INVESTORS.

An appeal is being made by the Federal Treasurer to wage-earners and salaried men to take up bonds or stock in the third issue of the war loan. For this class who make application through their employers, a special form of application is provided, and payments extended over ten months—10 per cent. on each instalment. There are three quarters of a million persons who earn from £100 a year up to £1000 a year. Many because of family obligations cannot save even £10, but there must be at least 400,000 persons who can save £10 and upwards. There should not be four or five millions received from the small investor if he resolved to do his duty and give his savings to the Federal Treasurer for war purposes. The interest is at the rate of 4½ per cent., and for money raised by those extended payments a full year's interest is payable on June 30, 1917. Employers are asked to collect the instalments. The scheme has merits, and if the people really be reached, should fulfil its purpose. But we believe that something more than an appeal of this character is wanted. Every man should also be approached by emissaries of the Commonwealth during the work days, and their privileges of subscribing to the loan should be pointed out to them. The stability of the loan going to a slight discount should not be hidden from them, and the meaning of such a possible movement would be explained. In this way a great deal of suspicion that there may possibly be loss in taking up war loans would be removed. Such explanations would be better received coming from a Commonwealth officer than from an employer. It would be worth while considering also whether some arrangement could not be made for selling these small bonds, which could be specially marked without the intervention of a broker and without brokerage charges.

ABERMAIN COLLIERY.

The report of the Abermain Colliery Company, Ltd., for the year ended April 30 shows a net profit of £19,151, and, with £5463 brought forward, £24,614 was available. A dividend of 10 per cent. (including interim dividend) absorbs £19,000, £5000 is transferred to the reserve account, and £614 is carried forward. During the past 12 months the coal trade has been in a very depressed condition. The following comparison may be made of the principal figures of the balance-sheet:—

	Year ended April 30, 1915.	1916.
Net profit	£35,097	£19,151
Dividend, per cent.	12½	10
Reserve	10,000	5,000
Capital	190,000	190,000
Reserve	75,000	80,000
Sundry creditors	26,355	27,227
Total	304,423	241,161
War Loan		8,500
Sundry debtors	28,067	30,837
Cash	20,900	20,900

Includes 2½ per cent. bonus.

SYDNEY BANK CLEARINGS.

The clearings of the Sydney banks for the week ended June 12 totalled £10,928,878, against £8,107,500 for the corresponding week last year. The totals and nearest dates of the years enumerated may be compared as follow:—

January 1 to June 16, 1913	£152,009,570
January 1 to June 15, 1914	166,571,811
January 1 to June 14, 1915	150,370,726
January 1 to June 1, 1916	195,466,062

There has thus been an increase up to date this year of £42,105,267. The clearings of the Melbourne banks for the week ended June 12 totalled £7,026,196, and from January 1 to June 12 totalled £146,675,286, an increase of £8,510,952.

STANDARD WAYGOOD.

The annual meeting of the above company was held yesterday. Mr. J. B. Nicholson presided. In referring to his resignation from the board, Mr. A. W. Meeks, M.L.C., said he felt that the direction of a company like this should be in the hands of men who understood the nature of the business carried on, and were not simply financial authorities. He had joined the board to protect the interest of the shareholders in "Hydraulic Engineering and Hercules, Ltd.," and now that his term of office had expired, he felt that he could be of little further service.

The chairman moved the adoption of the report, which was carried.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

At the wool sales yesterday 8579 bales were offered, and, including private transactions, 12,752 were sold.

The market ruled firm at the best rates of the week for all good wools.

Final records for the season for the Sydney market were established, viz., 28d for greasy merino and 41½d for scoured merino.

Accounts opened in the savings branch of the Commonwealth Bank during the week ended June 12 numbered 2482. Accounts open on June 12 were 274,664, and depositors' balances amounted to £2,009,177, compared with 267,759 and £7,073,253 on the corresponding day of last year.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

BANKS AND OTHER AUSTRALASIAN STOCKS.

LONDON, June 13.

Quotations of Australian banks and other stocks are as follow:—

Bank of Australasia, £116/10/ (£4 2/6 up on the fortnight).

Bank of New South Wales, £35.

Union Bank, £55/15/ (12/6 up on the fortnight).

Bank of Victoria, £2/9/6 (8/9 up on the fortnight).

National Bank of Australasia, £4/10/ unchanged on the fortnight).

National Bank of New Zealand, £4/18/ (/9 down on the fortnight).

Bank of New Zealand shares, £10/7/6 (7/6 up on the fortnight).

Bank of New Zealand 4 per cent., guaranteed stocks, £82/1/3 (6/3 up on the fortnight).

New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, ordinary stocks, £85 (£7 up on the fortnight).

New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, first debenture stock, £72 (15/ down on the fortnight).

City of Melbourne, 4 per cent. debentures, £94/5/ (£1/15/ up on the fortnight).

Melbourne Tramway Trust, 4½ per cent. debentures, £99/15/ (unchanged on the fortnight).

Melbourne Harbour Trust 4 per cent. debentures, £97/10/ (£1 up on the fortnight).

Melbourne Board of Works, 4 per cent. debentures, £92/10/ (unchanged on the fortnight).

AUSTRALIAN AGRICULTURAL COMPANY.

The Australian Agricultural Company June 14 dividend for the year amounts to 9/6 per share.

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

It is interesting to note the way in which the price of carbide has advanced during the past six months. Early in December it was about £14 a ton; on the same date in April it was £34; in May it was £34; and now the quotations stand at £35/10/ to £36/10/, and even £37 a ton. These increases in price are due partly to the closing down of factories, and partly to the increases in freight, which has risen from £1/5/ to £3 a ton.

The price is £22/10/ a ton at port of shipment, and by the time the material is landed in Sydney it will be materially added to. Caustic soda is still quoted at £48 a ton, with good inquiry for it. Cream of tartar is easier, owing to the arrival of a quantity during the past day or two, and 95 per cent. is now 2/6 per lb, with 99 per cent. a penny higher. A steady distributing trade is being done in it amongst the baking powder houses. Tartaric acid can be procured for 2/8, although most houses still quote a penny more, while citric acid is still at 3/8, with some houses asking 3/9, and professing readiness to hold until they get it. There is a rise to report in the price of borax to £45 a ton. It has been scarce for some time, and the demand has been brisk on the arrival of the figure named. Sales of Crown flower sulphur were made yesterday at £22. The common and French qualities remain at £19 and £20 respectively. A firmer tone is noticeable in the market for rosin. The last consignments to arrive per sailing ship have now gone into store, and holders do not propose to cut prices. There is an active market for strychnine at 3/6 per oz, and several sales have been reported. Arsenic is meeting a steady demand in distributers' lots. Although the official demand for bluestone is at an end for the present, there is a steady inquiry for it, and no sign of shading the £30 a ton quotation which has ruled for some time.

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LONDON MARKET CABLES.

CEREALS.

LONDON, June 13.

The wheat market continues dull.

Barley is selling at late rates.

Chicago wheat futures are quoted thus:—July, 102¼ cents a bushel; September, 104¼ to 104¾ cents a bushel.

LEAD STATISTICS.

Statistics of lead for last month and the previous month, are:—

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Imports	13,795	11,723
From Australia	7,037	7,003
Exports	5,854	9,909

AMERICAN VISIBLE WHEAT SUPPLY.

June 14.

The American visible supply of wheat and flour is 107,128,000 bushels, compared with 110,529,000 bushels a week ago, and 27,912,000 bushels a year ago.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

CHEMICALS.

Bluestone (Macclesfield): £30 per ton, 85% pure, Cream of Tartar: 95 per cent., 2/1; 90 per cent., 2/9 per lb.

Tartaric Acid: 3/7 per lb.

Citric Acid: 3/8 to 3/9 per lb.

Borax: Powder, £42 per ton, in cwt kegs; boracic, £72 per ton, levigated, £74.

Sulphur: Common, £10; Flowers, £20; Crown flowers, £22.

Carbide: £35/10/ to £36 per ton.

Rosin: In parcels, "G" grade, £32 to £33, "N" grade, £34 to £35 per ton.

Soda: Bicarbonate, 13/6 to 13/9 per cwt., casnine, £48 per ton; soda ash, £13/10/ per ton.

Arsenic: White, 30/ per cwt; grey, 28/ per cwt.

Strychnine: Spot, 2/6 per oz.

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Bran, quiet. Association price at £5/5/. Pollard, £5/5/. Barley, firm, English, 4/6 to 4/9; Cape, 3/4 to 3/6. Oats, demand quieter, milling Algerians, 2/4½ to 2/5; feed, 2/2 to 2/3½. Chaff, quiet, £2 to £3/5/. Straw, steady, £1/1/6 to £1/15/. Potatoes, steady demand, but interstate freight scarce, Ballart, red soil, Carmens, and Excelsiors, £6/10/; Snowflakes, £6/; Gippsland, Carmens, £5/10/ to £5/15/. Onions, weak, £2/10/ to £3/15/. Cornsacks, season, 8/9 to 8/10½. Brandbags, spot, 8/. Woolpacks, 4/ to 4/1½. Salmon, in strong demand for Adelaide and Perth, at up to 10/ for falls, but sellers are reserved.

Prices in the Metropolitan Meat Market for the past week were as follows:—Beef, prime bodies 46/ to 48/ per 100lb., medium 41/ to 45/; prime fores 42/ to 44/, medium 37/ to 40/; prime hinds 50/ to 52/, medium 45/ to 47/. Sheep Prime light 5½ to 6d per lb, heavy 5d to 5½d; lambs, prime light 7 per lb, heavy 6d. Veal: Prime large vealers 5½ to 6d per lb, medium 5d to 5½. The following are the wholesale prices for fruit at the Western market:—Apples, eating 11/ to 20/, cooking 7/ to 8/; lemons, Millura, 9/ to 11/; Sunkists, N.S.W., 13/ to 14/; oranges, Mildura, 10/ to 11/; new, 9/ to 10/; Queensland, 10/ to 12/; passionfruit, Victorian, 8/ to 14/; pears, 2/ to 6/; pineapples, Queen, 5/6 to 9/ double case; ditto, roughs, 7/ to 8/ double case.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

Wheat, 4/9, millers' bids; for local trade, 5/; for export, 5/3, shipping parcels. Flour, £16 per ton, net in country, £15/5/ delivered in city. Bran, steady demand, /12 to /14, according to terms. Pollard, /13 to /14. Oats quiet, 2/ to 2/1 for feed and 2/3 for seed. Chaff, steady, £3/10/ to £4/10/.

Barley firm, with buyers at 4/3 aboard; for best English medium, about 3/9, feed 3/; best Cape, 3/1, feed about 2/8. Chaff quiet, £2/15/ in truck. Hay, £3/10/ included. Cornsacks, next season's 9/; brandbags, 8/14. Potatoes steady, £8 to £8/10/ in the market. Onions, £5 to £5/10/.

LIVE STOCK SALES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

In the live stock market to-day 1866 fat cattle were penned, comprised of 1265 bullocks and 633 cows, including 70 from Riverina. The quality of the cattle was very good, though hardly up to the standard of last week's sale. There was a good attendance of buyers, and though the market at times was irregular the demand was fairly well sustained throughout, and greater portion of the yarding of prime light and medium weight bullocks and all qualities of cows showed a material increase in values. Heavy-weight bullocks did not share in the advance, however, to any marked extent, though occasionally odd sales showed better values. Quotations:—Best pens of bullocks £18/10/ to £22/10/, extra quality, £23 to £23/10/; £20/2/6; good pens of bullocks £16/15/ to £18, good light and handy weights £14/15/ to £16/15/, second and inferior to £14; best pens of cows £17/10/ to £18, extra to £17/10/, odd sales to £18/7/6, odd cows to £9/5/ to £16/7/6, inferior cows from £6/10/. Fat calves; 440 penned, the bulk being good to prime quality. The demand was very brisk throughout, and late rates were well maintained.

PRODUCE.

DAIRY.

BUTTER TO ADVANCE.

The Necessary Commodities Commission has granted an advance in price of butter of 4/8 per cwt, or 1d per lb. The rise brings the Sydney market into line with Queensland at 140/ per cwt, but Melbourne is "in the clouds" at 174/. The refusal of the commission to allow an increase of 12/ in values does not meet with the approval of some of those prices. There is an active market for strychnine at 3/6 per oz, and several sales have been reported. Arsenic is meeting a steady demand in distributers' lots. Although the official demand for bluestone is at an end for the present, there is a steady inquiry for it, and no sign of shading the £30 a ton quotation which has ruled for some time.

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SALE PRICES FIRM.

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This anomaly—a poor business record in the face of solid buying offers—is explained by the evident belief of scrip-holders that the Allies are on the verge of inflicting a crushing blow on the enemy. The great success of the Russian forces opposing the Austrians, the news that the Italians have brought the Austrians to a halt, the apparent hopelessness of the Germans to capture the citadel Verdun, and, finally, the buoyancy of the London Stock Exchange, convinced operators, bulls, and bears alike, that it was necessary to exercise extreme caution.

The "bulls"—scrip-holders—felt they were on the safest ground for a rise, and marked up their prices accordingly, being assisted in this operation by the buyer who was also a scrip-holder.

The bears, in their endeavour to "cover," increased their offers. This was the cause of the firm buying quotations. The refusal of sellers to accept them was the cause of the little business done.

There were, however, other factors at work in the case of particular stocks. For instance, Edna May Centrals sold freely at 46/8 to 46/6, an advance of 1/9, consequent on a rumour that the bottom crosscut had struck a reef that assayed over 2oz per ton. Edna May Deeps improved in sympathy from 25/3 to 26/3; but the smaller-priced Westonias were scarcely affected.

The only other section dealt in was copper, Mount Lyells again selling on the up-grade, with strong buyers still unsupplied. Solid offers for Hamptons and Mount Morgans were declined, whilst Wallaroo and Moontas and Mt. Mungos were wanted, but no sellers declared.

The stocks and Barriers were unrepresented by a sale, but not because they were out of favour. Indeed they were freely quoted at rates showing steady buyers and still firmer sellers.

The reserve that dominated the position in the morning was relaxed to a large extent in the afternoon, with the result that the volume of business increased materially, and generally on the firmer lines insisted upon in the morning by scrip-holders. In the copper section, Mount Morgans sold at a steady figure, whilst buyers of Hampdens had to advance their offers to clinch a transaction. Wallaroo and Moonta and St. Mungo were wanted, but sellers did not declare.

Barriers were more in evidence, and sales on solid lines were booked in B.H. Junction North, B.H. Junction (con.), and B.H. North, with British Broken Hill (old), Broken Hill Proprietary, B.H. Junctions (paid), B.H. South (paid), Round Hill (Tasmania), Sulphide Corporation, and Zinc Corporation (ord.) being wanted at very firm rates, and sellers either holding for better prices or ignoring the offers altogether.

In W.A. gold stocks Black Range sold fairly well, call paid; Edna May Deeps finished up with a sale at 25/9, a fraction under the record for the day, but /6 better than Tuesday's closing rate. Edna May Centrals, after reaching 46/6, finished up at 46/, so the ground won in the morning was lost in the afternoon, and a little more.

After occupying a backward position the greater portion of the day, Malayan tin stocks came into notice, both Ratrut Basin and "Kranpongs" repeated the firm sales of the preceding day. Firm offers for Tongkah Harbour and Ronibon failed to elicit a selling quotation at the afternoon call, the reverse being the case with Tongkah Compound, Larut, and Malaya Tin Corporation. Buyers of Trong offered close up to the last sale price, but sellers would not lower their limits.

THE SHARE MARKET.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

COPPER.	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
Corella Copper	0 10 6	0 11 0
Hampden-Cleveland, paid	0 11 3	0 11 6
Mount Lyell	1 0 5	1 0 6
Mount Morgan	1 14 6	1 15 0
Mount Mungo	0 2 6	—
Wallaroo and Moonta	2 3 0	—
TIN.		
Capathia, paid	0 3 10½	0 4 2
Ditto, contributing	0 2 6	—
Vegetable Creek	0 6 5	0 6 9
Tin-Dredging and Sluicing.		
Austral Malay	2 2 0	—
Beebook Dredging	0 8 9	0 12 6
Kampong Kamunting	1 18 0	1 18 9
Larut Tin	1 9 0	1 9 6
Malaya Tin Corporation	1 2 0	1 2 6
Ratrut Basin	1 2 9	1 3 0
Ditto, contributing	0 7 3	0 8 0
Ronibon	0 2 6	—
Tongkah Harbour Tin	1 18 0	1 18 9
Ditto, Compound	1 9 0	1 9 6
Trong	1 9 0	1 9 6
SILVER.		
New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill (old)	1 4 3	—
Broken Hill Proprietary	2 10 3	2 10 9
Ditto, Block 10	0 7 0	0 7 3
Ditto, Preference	0 7 0	0 7 4
B.H. Junction	0 5 8	0 6 4
Ditto, contributing	0 2 6	0 2 9
B.H. Junction North	0 7 5	0 7 6
B.H. North	2 7 9	2 8 3
B.H. South	7 16 6	7 17 6
B.H. South, contg.	7 7 0	7 8 0
New Burragorang	0 4 1	0 4 4
Round Hill	0 11 6	—
Sulphide Corporation, ord.	0 5 0	—
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Zinc Corporation, ord.	0 11 9	—
GOLD		
New South Wales, etc.		
Hawkin's Hill Reward	—	0 4 6
Mount David	—	0 0 6
Gold—Dredging and Sluicing.		
Arahuen Redbank	—	0 1 0
Queensland.		
Charters Towers, etc.		
Clark's Gold Mines	0 1 9	—
Victoria.		
Morning star, contg (call pd.)	0 6 7½	0 7 2
Great Southern Consols	0 1 0	—
Western Australia.		
Black Range West (call paid)	0 1 9	0 2 0
Bullfinch Proprietary	0 2 6	0 2 9
Edna May Deeps, paid	0 25 6	0 25 9
Ditto, contributing	0 5 6	0 5 10½
Ditto, Deep	1 5 7½	1 5 10½
Ditto, Golden Point, paid	0 10½	0 0 4
Ditto, contributing (call paid)	0 2 10	—
Great Boulder	0 12 6	0 13 0

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The stocks not officially listed are marked with the letter U. The following sales were reported:—

MORNING.

Mount Lyell, 29/, 29/4).

GOLD.

Edna May Deep, six weeks, 25/9; three months, 25/9; ord., 26/, 26/3; six weeks, 26/.
Edna May Central, 45/9, 46/, 46/14, 46/6.

AFTERNOON.

COPPER.

Mount Morgan, 35/15, 35/.
Hampdens, 31/9.

SILVER.

B.H. Junction North, 7/6.
B.H. North (50 shares), 48/.
B.H. Junction (con.), 8/11, 3/11½

GOLD.

Black Range West (call paid), 2/.
Edna May Deep, 25/6, 25/9; six weeks, 25/9; three months, S.O., 25/6; ord., 25/6, 25/9.
Edna May Central, 44/.

TIN.

Ratrut Basin (paid), 22/9.
Kampongs (50 shares), 35/6.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

To-day's sales were:—

Silver: Amalgamated Zinc, 30/, 30/3; Broken Hill Proprietary, 30/4, 30/9; ditto, six weeks, 30/6; B.H. Junction, con., 4/, 4/1; B.H. Junction North, 7/7.

Copper: Hampden, 32/; Mount Cuthbert, 13/9; Mount Lyell, 29/, 29/2½, 29/4½; ditto Blocks, 4/3, 4/9.

Tin: Lode Hill, 1/3, 1/9; Ronibon, 6/3, 6/9; Tongkah Compound, 8/1, 8/2, 8/4; Tin Bentong, 35/.

Gold: Amalgamated Westralia, 2/6; Edna May, 25/10; ditto, six weeks, 25/10/6; ditto Bottler, 7/6, 8/; ditto, six weeks, 25/10/6; ditto Deeps, 25/9, 26/1, 25/7½; ditto, six weeks, 26/14, 25/9; Leonora Blocks, 5/8; Yilgarn Consols, 1/; Cohen's Long Tunnel, paid, 1/; Great Fingall Links, 3/2; North Kuggety Ajax, 2/, 2/5; Standard Glengonna, 2/.

Miscellaneous: Adelong Estates, 23/7½, 23/9; South Australian Oil Wells, paid, 2/6.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—

S.A. Oil Wells (paid), b 2/3, a 3/; con., b 1/.

Copper.—Hampden, b 32/2, a 32/9; Mount Morgan, b 34/6, a 35/6; Mount Lyell, b 29/3, a 29/9; Wallaroo, 65/, b 64/9, a 65/6.

Silver.—Broken Hills, 50/3, b 50/3, a 50/6; Block 14 (pref.), b 8/, a 8/7; ord., b 5/1, a 5/4; Block 10, b 7/1, a 7/4; British (old), 84/9, 24/10½, 24/9, 25/; Broken Hill Proprietary, b 22/10½, a 23/; Barrier South, b 4½, a 5½; Junction (paid), b/, b 1, b 6, a 6/1; Junction (con.), 3/11, 3/11½, b 3/11½, a 4/; Junction North, 7/6, b 7/6; North, 47/9, 48/, b 48/, a 48/3; South (paid), 7/, b 6/, a 7/; South, con., b 47/17/6, con., 47/9/, 48/, b 47/17/6, con., 47/9/, b 47/17/6, con., 47/9/, Sulphide (pref.), b 28/3/, ord., b 19/; Burragorang Zinc, b 20/; Zinc Corporation, (pref.), b 41/, a 43/; ord., 12/, b 12/, a 12/3.

Gold: Lake View and Star, b 2/8, a 2/10; Riverina Consols, call paid, b 5/, a 6/; Associated Northern, b 2/6, a 4/; Bullfinch Proprietary, b 2/6, a 2/8; Combined Hannans, b 1/6; Ivanhoe, 42/6; Marpion, b 1/6; Roaring, b 2/, a 2/3; Sons of Gwalia, b 15/7½; Edna May, 25/15/6, 25/10/, b 25/10/, a 26/; Consolidated, paid, b 7/, a 7/6; Sons, b 5/3, a 5/6; Central, 46/, 44/3, 44/6, b 46/6, a 44/9; Hatches, paid, 9/6, b 9/9, a 10/, con., 7/4, 7/5, b 7/4, a 7/6; Heaps, 26/9, 25/10½, b 25/9, a 26/; Empress, b 2/8, a 3/; Tarnoda Blocks, b 4/3; Weston's Reward, paid, 2/3, con., call, 3d paid, a 2/11; Nullagine, con., call, 4d, paid, b 12/6.

BENDIGO, Wednesday.

To-day's sales were:—Catherine Reef United, 3/; Hercules and Energetic, 5/; Williams' United, 11/; Windmill Hill, 1/3.

Under the title of "Willoughby's Fifty Years," an historical record of the municipality up to its jubilee last year, compiled by Claude Leplastrier, has been published by authority of the council. The book, which is profusely illustrated with photographs, is a quarto volume, well got-up and printed.

SPORTING.

THE TURF.

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphs that the general entries received on Tuesday for the V.R.C. Grand National Steeplechase Meeting totalled 480 as against 490 last year.

Our correspondent telegraphs that the Coonamble Jockey Club's Annual Meeting has been postponed for a few days owing to the rain.

Lady Bonlform's starting price in the Maitland Handicap was 5 to 2 against.

The A.J.C. has granted registration to the following meeting:—Carinda Amateur Turf Club, July 19 and 20.

"A. F." (Mosman).—Quickstep did not start in the Fourteen-one Handicap at Kensington last Wednesday.

The Richmond Trotting Club's meeting has been postponed until Friday, June 30. Entries will close on Tuesday, June 20.

Mr. J. Underhill will receive nominations up to 5 o'clock to-day for the Rosebery Racing Club's pony and galloway meeting on Wednesday, June 21.

The Menangle Park Racing Club's postponed meeting will be held to-day if the weather is favourable. Special trains will leave Sydney at 10.30 (horses), 11.40, and 12.20.

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VICTORIAN SPORTING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Sporting Morning, the New Zealand jumper, who came to Melbourne to compete in the Grand National Steeplechase, died to-day. The gelding had been suffering from pleurisy since his arrival at Caulfield on Friday.

Wyndarra has been withdrawn from the Steeplechase to be run at Caulfield on Saturday.

ASCOT RACING CLUB.

ORAMA WINS ASCOT HANDICAP.

The attendance at the Ascot Racing Club's pony meeting yesterday was somewhat interfered with by the threatening weather. Light rain fell during the afternoon, but caused very little inconvenience. Twelve races were run off, and the programme was dispersed shortly after 4 o'clock. The short-priced favourite Orama won the Ascot Handicap. Details:—

Flying Handicap of 100 sovs; second horse 15, and third 10 sovs from the prize. First division: Steel Ore, by Bright Steel (imp.)—Ondine, 4yrs, 7st 10lb (A. Russell), 1; Arakoon, 7st 10lb (R. Griffiths), 2; Clanfera, 4st 6lb

CASUALTIES.

500 MORE MEN ILL.

176th LIST.

The 176th list of casualties sustained by Australian troops was issued yesterday. Two officers and 40 men are reported as killed in action, and 4 men have died of illness. Eleven officers and 472 more men are reported as ill. Sixteen officers and 283 men have returned to duty.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

KILLED IN ACTION.

Gnr. S. HORTON, England, 20/5/15.

DIED OF ILLNESS.

Gnr. J. P. BALFOUR, Waverley.

SEVERELY WOUNDED.

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2nd Lieut. W. L. APPLEBY, Kierraville.
Pte. W. J. O'SULLIVAN, Paddington.
Cpl. W. C. FISHER, Walcha (and dangerously ill).
Sgt. H. C. WILSON, India.
Pte. F. C. DODMAN, Neutral Bay.
Pte. J. SMALL, Ingleburne.
Pte. H. L. NOWLAND, Quirindi.
Pte. J. PARKER, Leichhardt.
Pte. G. RUDKIN, Wingham.
Spr. S. F. PIRIE, New Zealand.

SUFFERING FROM OLD WOUNDS.

Pte. W. McLEAN, Scotland.

INJURED.

Dvr. R. L. HILL, Richmond.
Gnr. R. G. HANN, Fremantle.
Gnr. G. H. ANDERSON, Double Bay.
Pte. L. RIDDLE, Redfern.
Pte. J. CHALLIS, Balmain.

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Sgt. C. P. PRICE, Haberfield.
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Pte. A. F. WATSON, Erskineville.
Pte. J. S. F. IVERACH, Coolamon.

SERIOUSLY ILL.

Capt. W. R. ASPINALL, Sydney.
Pte. M. FLYNN, Mascot.
Dvr. F. BEATTY, West Maitland.

ILL.

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Lieut. W. F. LLYSMITH, England.
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Pte. T. J. HEARNE, Yass.
Pte. F. W. BARNES, Burwood.
Pte. ROBERTSON, South Sydney.
Pte. T. MURRAY, Leichhardt.
Cpl. A. M. FULTON, Cathcart.
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Pte. W. BURNS, Arncliffe.
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Gnr. H. A. SHELTON, Woollahra.
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Pte. O. STEVENS, Hurstville.
Pte. T. D. O'BRIEN, Temora.
Pte. J. HOWE, Glebe.
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Pte. G. A. SYNNERDAHL, Newtown.
Pte. A. W. BEST, Leichhardt.
Lce.-Cpl. L. G. EGGINS, Oxley Island.
Pte. J. MILLER, Newcastle.
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Pte. H. C. BRODIE, Campsie.
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Pte. C. J. KELLY, South Katoomba.
Pte. G. REED, Rose Bay.
Pte. W. H. LANGHAM, Narrandera.
Spr. R. LUPMAGGI, Russia.
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Pte. ALIAS HILLSTON, Belmore.
Gnr. J. CARMODY, Toowong, Q.
Spr. E. J. GILSES, England.
Spr. P. WADE, Bexley.
Pte. L. G. CHELLEW, Roselle.
Pte. L. NATHAM, Woollahra.
Pte. J. BROWN, Kensington.
Pte. H. O. OSS, Willow Tree.
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Pte. C. PATEN, Sydney.
Pte. M. LASSUS, Balmain.
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Pte. J. HAMMOND, England.
Pte. F. C. BROADHURST, Dulwich Hill.
Pte. C. A. SHARP, Naremburn.
Pte. H. TAYLOR, Woollgoolga.
Pte. W. H. COATES, Lewisham.
Cpl. W. E. WINTER, Turramurra.
Pte. J. SEVILLE, Arncliffe.
Pte. R. STOKES, Ryde.
Pte. W. H. LINSLEY, Teralba.
Pte. W. LATCHAM, Pelaw Main.
Pte. F. C. HARPER, East Sydney.
Pte. J. EVANS, Coalingarra.
Pte. A. McLEISH, Adamstown.
Pte. S. E. JACOBS, Branxton.
Pte. J. J. BOWLING, Balmain.
Pte. J. HORNE, Dulwich Hill.
Pte. A. H. GAIN, Stockton.
Pte. D. V. WALFORD, Woollahra.
Pte. P. T. SHEPPERD, England.
Pte. T. RAYMOND, Rose Bay.
Pte. C. FINCH, Burrowlie.
Pte. D. BURROWS, Scarborough.
Pte. W. M. WILLIAMSON, Strathfield.
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Gnr. J. E. WALLIS, England.
Gnr. W. A. H. DAVENPORT, Redfern.
Gnr. C. F. BOURCHIER, Dunolly, V.
Gnr. G. W. WELLS, Waverley.
Gnr. H. A. CARVER, Goulburn.
Gnr. W. PITCHFIELD, —.
Gnr. F. E. McGUIGGAN, Manilla.
Sgt. A. S. K. LOWE, Leichhardt.
Pte. E. C. RICHARDS, Temora.
L.-cpl. G. F. WORBEY, West Maitland.
Pte. G. W. SLATER, England.
Pte. E. G. SMITH, Launceston (Tas.).
L.-cpl. A. H. C. WAINE, Combonne.
Pte. J. HANRAHAN, Hamilton.
Cpl. E. T. WILDEY, Condobolin.
Pte. H. WYARD, Cootamai.
Pte. W. G. PRESTON, Burwood.
Pte. M. CONNELL, Ipswich.
Pte. F. O. FREEE, Dubbo (Q.).
Pte. H. A. GIBBONS, Albury.
Pte. J. J. MARTIN, Sydney.
Pte. J. AVENDER, Grose Vale.
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Pte. J. TARRANT, Narrandera.
Pte. R. LYNN, Arncliffe.
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Pte. W. LAWSON, Arncliffe.
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Pte. W. H. TIMMINS, Yarramundi (convalescent).
Pte. T. S. BOYLE, Dubbo (convalescent).
Cpl. F. S. FOXLEY, Eraklneville (pronounced out of danger).

RETURNED TO DUTY.

Maj. J. M. Y. STEWART, with A.L.F.; Capt. C. A. Callaghan (D.S.O.), Sydney; Capt. H. F. Pain, Neutral Bay; Lieut. J. C. H. Nickell, Mudgee; Lieut. A. Knox, Wentworthville; Lieut. C. S. Gluyas, Brook. New Lambton; Second-Lieut. O. S. Gluyas, Brook. New Lambton; Lieut. R. Ratcliff, Coolah; Pte. R. E. Tamworth; Pte. R. H. Johnston, Merce; Pte. M. P. Flanagran, Colac, Vic.; Pte. H. Conlon, North Sydney; Pte. R. Ritz, Waratah; Pte. H. Penfold, Roseville; Spr. E. Treyor, Surry Hills; Spr. W. Sharp, Bondi; Spr. J. D. Murray, Water-loo; Cpl. H. C. Kindred, Tumut; Spr. W. Wood, Bondiand; Spr. N. Jarvis, Mosman; Gnr. J. S. W. Bennett, Drummoyne; Gnr. T. M. Thomas, England; Gnr. H. F. G. Petersen, —; Gnr. H. A. Handley, Milson's Point; Gnr. T. E. Finley, Whitton, N.S.W.; Dvr. J. S. Hills, Roslyn; Pte. R. S. Waterhouse, Norfolk Island, Tas.; Pte. V. F. McCarthy, Auburn; Pte. R. J. Redd, Manilla; Pte. U. Wiggan, Nundle; Pte. H. E. Whitmee, Bindeth; Pte. W. Vivian, Cooper Pte. R. Pepper, Nowra; Pte. W. L. Grace, Manly; Pte. L. V. Edwards, Glebe; Pte. R. P. Brown, Camperdown; Pte. T. J. Walsh, Narrabri; Pte. A. H. S. Uptin, North Sydney; Pte. T. Taylor, Jerrideriu; Pte. S. R. Smith, Petersham (N.S.W.); Pte. T. H. Worthington, Albion Park (Q.); Pte. C. S. Elliott, Gladesville; Pte. P. Hyne, England; Pte. W. J. Green, England; Baker, England; Pte. R. A. Fullarton, Paddington; Pte. R. Dvr. R. A. Fullarton, Paddington; Pte. R. Bruce, D. Wesleywood; Bmbr. Berber, Jr. J. Cumming, Nowra; Pte. W. Hardcastle, Artarmon; Pte. A. V. Robb, Pte. W. Hardcastle, Artarmon; Pte. A. V. Robb, Artarmon; L.-cpl. E. T. Sturgeon, England; Pte. R. Arnsworth; Pte. H. Hindmarsh, Dulwich Hill; Pte. A. Dawson, Scotland; D. MacIntyre, Dulwich Hill; Pte. L. K. Hinde, South Africa; Pte. L. K. Hinde, England; Pte. E. R. de'Bourbel, New Zealand; Pte. H. Bruce, England; Pte. W. H. Morrison, Pte. C. S. Smith, Petersham; Pte. W. H. Morrison, Pte. F. McKinley, Lowerwilby; Pte. A. Lay, Balmain; Pte. R. Hinchey, England; Pte. A. P. M. Sin, Minto; Pte. H. J. Balcomb, Granbury; Pte. Wilks, Harden; Pte. H. J. Balcomb, Granbury; Pte. L. G. Anderson, Mosman; Pte. R. G. Clark, Glen L. G. Anderson, Mosman; Pte. D. Parnell, Burrinjuck; Pte. J. Jones; Pte. C. D. Parnell, Burrinjuck; Pte. J. Jones; Pte. C. D. Parnell, Burrinjuck; Pte. J. Clark, Corinna; L.-cpl. L. A. Woodward, Canterbury; Cpl. H. L. Paisley, Mosman; Pte. A. H. McKidd, Cpl. H. L. Paisley, Mosman; Pte. A. H. McKidd, Barraba; Pte. H. J. Jones, Bendigo, Vic.; Pte. P. Harrower, Newcastle; Pte. Grant, Candelo; Pte. Harrower, Newcastle; Pte. Grant, Candelo; Pte. Gilston; Gnr. S. Partridge, Croydon; Dvr. W. J. Knight, Burnan; Gnr. R. J. Cross, Dvr. W. J. Knight, Burnan; Gnr. R. J. Cross, Meridale; Bmbdr. G. L. Sanbrook, Sydney; Dvr. H. Meridale; Bmbdr. G. L. Sanbrook, Sydney; Dvr. H. Allens, England; Cpl. W. J. Crittendell, Swansea; Allens, England; Cpl. W. J. Crittendell, Swansea; Bmbdr. W. G. Balcombe, Wahroonga; Gnr. E. Drink water, Crookwell; Gnr. R. A. Holt, Murrurundi; Gnr. Holcomb; Glebe; Cpl. P. J. Nelson, Newtown; C. H. Meier, Glebe; Cpl. P. J. Nelson, Newtown; Gnr. W. F. Shiels, Coorahbong; Gnr. W. Finley, Gnr. W. F. Shiels, Coorahbong; Gnr. W. Finley, Holcomb; L.-cpl. P. Weatherill, England; Pte. J. Clark, Redfern.

VICTORIA.

KILLED IN ACTION.

Lieut. J. R. Sparks, Second-Lieut. R. T. Pittcraft, Pte. E. M. Kennett, Pte. W. A. Linton, Pte. G. L. Richardson, Pte. D. Cameron, Pte. R. Phelps, Pte. W. Gaskell, Pte. A. Binns, Pte. J. H. Ryan, Pte. L. White, law, Lance-cpl. F. C. Clifton, Cpl. W. Goodall, Q.M.S. A. Price, Pte. J. M. Clarke, C.Q.M.S. C. W. Nesbitt, Sgt. C. Cawsey, Pte. K. McLeman, Pte. J. Power, Pte. J. J. M'Laughlin, Pte. C. G. Cox, Pte. W. T. Libbis, Pte. W. E. Register, Pte. S. C. Norwood, Pte. R. Carey, Pte. F. W. Rogerans, Pte. A. M'Donald, Pte. H. C. Carlson, Pte. —. D. Cornish.

DIED OF ILLNESS.

Pte. T. H. Backus, Pte. A. Cameron.

WOUNDED.

Lieut., L. C. Roth (seriously), Pte. G. W. Shaw, Q.M.S. Elliott, Pte. F. W. Rogers, Air-mechanic W. C. Rayment, Wheeler A. R. F. Bain (severely), Pte. M. A. Sheen, Cpl. E. M. Shearwood, Pte. J. W. Watkins, Lce.-cpl. V. B. Wyatt.

SUFFERING FROM OLD WOUND.

W.O. A. W. Picaett, Pte. J. G. Hartley, Pte. H. Patterson.

INJURED.

Pte. K. Sinclair, Pte. N. H. Vale.

ILL.

S.-Nurse A. D. Brown, S.-Nurse E. I. Calvert, Capt. H. E. N. Fyans, Lieut. D. H. E. Ross, Pte. R. B. Taylor, L.-cpl. F. J. Meldrum, Pte. A. S. McNabb, Dvr. W. R. Kingborn, Pte. J. Parkes, Pte. T. S. Cook, Gnr. N. Pargher, Spr. L. Purcell, Pte. W. H. Henningsen, Pte. H. W. Russell, Pte. W. H. Ward, Pte. T. Warland, Pte. N. W. Allanby, Pte. G. W. Young, Pte. N. J. Jackson, Sgt. J. Malone, Pte. J. P. Ryan, Pte. F. W. Stanley, Pte. L. Weybourne, Pte. W. E. Kelly, Pte. C. C. E. Shave, Pte. W. H. Gore, Pte. A. W. Dineen, L.-cpl. E. G. Gorman, Cpl. T. W. Chadwick, Pte. E. S. Mulholland, Pte. J. J. Clarke, Pte. T. Purcell, Pte. G. H. Ferguson, Pte. J. D. Carrington, Pte. W. Morrison, Sgt. A. E. Jeffrey, Pte. C. W. Clarke, Pte. J. W. Sykes, Pte. H. J. Bennett, Pte. W. F. Hart, L.-cpl. R. Nicholls, Pte. F. Marshall, Pte. M. Ryan, Pte. C. Scobiers, Pte. E. M'Lean, Pte. T. F. Donnelly, Pte. R. M. Hammerberg, L.-cpl. E. Boyd, Pte. P. F. Hood, Pte. W. Ryan, Pte. F. Stanley, Pte. C. Weybourne, Pte. F. Buchanan, Pte. W. T. Jarrett, Pte. J. H. Lawrence, Pte. E. C. Ferguson, Pte. G. A. Bull, Dvr. A. J. Hyde, Dvr. G. L. Villar, Dvr. D. M'Grath, Dvr. T. Callaghan, Spr. G. N. Thompson, Spr. D. Ireona, Pte. C. Kavanagh, Pte. H. R. Collins, Pte. G. Cowley, Gnr. E. R. Woollard, Sct. W. J. McLeod, Spr. G. A. Mines, Spr. C. Tridles, Sct. J. G. Gray, Pte. H. S. McShanag, Pte. T. T. Sallows, Spr. T. W. Mower, Gnr. G. Ullathorne, Dvr. E. C. Torrens, Pte. W. C. R. Lamond, Pte. J. McLaughlin, Spr. A. Burns, Pte. P. M. O'Rourke, L.-cpl. C. Peyton, Pte. A. S. Hannaford, Pte. S. Hancock, Pte. H. L. Whitting, Pte. I. A. Oswood, Pte. H. Furnston, L.-cpl. P. J. Stagg, L.-cpl. H. Ryan, Pte. G. M. Howden, Cpr. W. A. Peters, Pte. C. J. Nash, Armorer, Pte. C. V. Evans, Pte. J. Williams, Sgt. R. A. Jones, Pte. P. J. S. Gleeson, Spr. —. Kronebie, Pte. T. Cpl. F. Burgess, Pte. T. S. Kitchridie, Pte. W. L. McLeod, Pte. W. W. Keegan, Pte. G. C. F. Spreadbury, Dvr. J. Davis, Pte. P. C. R. Daulin, Pte. R. Postill, Pte. L. G. Hallett, Pte. P. S. Wines, Pte. H. W. King, Pte. H. J. Black, Pte. J. M. Mcl. Hayes, Pte. T. L. Senior, Pte. A. V. Fraser, Dvr. E. Donnelly, Dvr. F. Jones.

RETURNED TO DUTY.

Gnr. W. M. Neville, West Maitland; Gnr. W. A. Kilpatrick, Deniliquin; Pte. G. Scott, The Rock; Pte. W. W. Walker, Tocumwal.

QUEENSLAND.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Pte. I. R. Nairn.

DIED OF ILLNESS.

Gnr. P. Reynolds, 12/5/16.

WOUNDED.

Sgt. W. Fielding, Pte. J. J. Parker, Pte. A. Marshall, Pte. A. Kilgour, Sgt. D. A. Campbell, Pte. E. H. Glover, Ireland, Pte. J. Stewart.

SUFFERING FROM OLD WOUND.

Pte. J. Cassidy.

INJURED.

Pte. G. Poplawski, Pte. A. J. Jenkins, Pte. F. J. Arnold.

ILL.

Pte. T. Beaumont, Pte. R. C. J. Griffin, Dvr. R. S. Kerr, Pte. H. F. Christensen, Gnr. D. D. Mathieson, Pte. J. Hammell, Cpl. F. G. Brockhurst, Pte. W. G. Dodd, Q.M.S. R. J. Godfrey, Pte. P. A. Taylor, Pte. R. A. Wilkin, Pte. F. Nicholas, Pte. F. P. Newman, Pte. M. Price (Cudgen, N.S.W.), Pvr. W. G. Crosbie, Pte. E. C. Kilpatrick, Dvr. H. Jimmieson, Dvr. H. Kaon, Pte. W. Peterson, Pte. H. Armanasco, Pte. G. H. Griffin, Cpl. R. Wotherspoon, Pte. H. M. Downing, Pte. W. Henshaw, Pte. L. Williams, Pte. T. Moore, Pte. R. Abel, Sgt. T. W. F. Cale, Pte. C. Holden (Parella), Pte. T. G. Mann, Pte. F. Tattam, Pte. R. W. Kelly, Shoe-smith F. W. Baird, Pte. T. McD. Browne, Pte. C. W. Collins, Pte. J. G. Campbell, Pte. J. H. Smellie, Sct. L. H. Ferris, Pte. T. W. Long, Pte. J. H. Long, Pte. H. T. Ward, Pte. H. T. Ward, Pte. C. Allard, Pte. O. O. Smith, Pte. H. Croft, Pte. W. H. Hennington, Pte. R. J. Wilkes, Pte. T. Shearin, Pte. J. C. Peterson, Pte. H. Bridgewater, Pte. D. Boer, Pte. R. H. Tiller, Pte. J. Campbell, Pte. A. J. Crisp, Pte. S. L. Gofton, Pte. T. Radcliffe, Pte. J. Maloney, Pte. J. Carroll, Pte. D. R. Shaw, Pte. N. O'Keefe, Pte. E. C. Baker, Pte. F. V. Ryan, Cpl. T. Ryan, Pte. F. Watts, Sgt. T. G. Mulherin, Sgt. T. Kirkbride, L.-cpl. W. K. King, Pte. A. R. Little, Pte. J. Miller, Pte. D. Davis, Pte. W. Wootton (dangerously), Pte. R. Gray, Pte. R. Grant, Pte. F. E. Gillham, Pte. W. O. Furlong, Farrier-sct. J. Heffins, Cpl. T. Pepper, Pte. J. L. Henderson, Pte. F. Hynes, Pte. G. J. Olsen, Pte. G. G. Addis, Pte. C. Astridge, Pte. W. T. Knight (Rosebank), Pte. T. J. Callaghan, Pte. R. J. Boland (Murwillumbah), Pte. W. Gibson, Pte. T. Jones, Pte. E. T. R. Manckelow, Pte. W. Gibson (dangerously); Pte. T. Twyford (dangerously ill; sub. reptd. pron. out of danger).

RETURNED TO DUTY.

Pte. H. Rowley (Taree), Pte. F. T. Sladen (Warden)), Pte. C. H. W. Holland (Grosbamstown), Pte. W. Parkes (Newtown), Pte. D. Wilson (Gerringong).

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

DIED OF INJURIES.

Pte. F. Kennedy.

WOUNDED.

Pte. J. McCloskey, Pte. H. W. Barrow, Pte. T. Waterman, Pte. J. R. Wang, Pte. E. Thomas.

INJURED.

Gnr. E. Lowe.

ILL.

Capt. F. O. Thorn, 2nd-Lieut. A. B. Purdin; Gnr. L. V. Ragless, Pte. C. P. Hayman, Pte. F. W. S. Richard, Pte. N. A. Thompson, Pte. T. J. Kallio, Pte. W. Hooke, Pte. A. Hill, Pte. C. S. Hall, Pte. H. Hall, Pte. H. J. Lane, Broken Hill, N.S.W.; Pte. J. W. Williams, Cpl. A. E. Koop, Pte. C. R. Clements, Q.M.S. W. Cook, Pte. J. Green, Pte. L. Hickman, Pte. R. W. Payne, Pte. J. Pengelly, Pte. J. Kitchen, Electric Fans, and Dayton Scales, Pte. J. Smith, Electric Fans, and Dayton Scales, and cont. curr.; Coffee, Tea, Milk, and Water Urns; Pie Heater, almost new; Knife Cleaners, 4 and 7 Marble-top Tables, Weighing Machines, Typewriters, Cashier Desks. RHODRIBB'S, 66 and 68 City-road. Tel., 693 Redfern.

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Dated this thirteenth day of JUNE, 1916.

THOMAS H. NESBITT, Town Clerk, Returning Officer.

Town Clerk's Room, Town Hall, Sydney.

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This blouse is a combination of black and white figured, also plain white ninon. Featuring Raglan sleeves of double white ninon, also ninon vest and collar, the latter can be worn either high to neck or open. Finished with black silk tie. In sizes 36 to 40 in bust measurement. 21/.

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Sizes, ... 6 7 8 9
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LENGTHS, 16in, 18in, 5/11; 21in, 6/6.
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